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Celebration set in historic Kersting Court for The News

Traffic will stop in Kersting Court this evening, Thursday, Oct. 20, at about 4 p.m. when setup begins for the party at the *Sierra Madre News*. Traffic will be continued at 8 p.m.

Kersting Court, particularly under the pepper trees, will be the location of the party which notes the 14th year that Jan Reed has owned the 88-year-old weekly, community newspaper.

Not only will there be music, food and drinks, but the celebration will be headlined by local and out-of-town celebrities. The *Sierra Madre News* staff will play host to Sierra Madre Mayor MaryAnn MacGillivray and other councilpersons, Congressman David Dreier, Assemblyman Dick and Earline Mountjoy, Gene Perret, Bob Hope's head comedy writer who will bring his latest book for autograph hounds, and Sierra Madre actor Joe Marinelli. Bob and Joanna Singleton will entertain with music.

Hank Landsberg has set up a PA system and Mike Sizer has arranged for lighting. Sean Joyce, city administrator, has assisted *The News* in tables and chairs for the occasion. Ann Luke has assisted with arrangements, and Rosette Selbak, Holly Hubbard and Marlene Enmark have arranged for food.

Sierra Madre Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the mixer and *The News* serves as host.

We urge everyone to come to the Court to celebrate with us.

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The News celebrates another milestone--14 years!

The *Sierra Madre News* was founded on Oct. 2, 1906, and the first paper was printed Oct. 11, 1906, with R.T. Cowles as proprietor. That was a year before the city was incorporated. The first issue was four pages, about the size of a magazine. Subscriptions were $1.50 per year.

On Oct. 2, 1980, Jan Reed published the first newspaper after purchasing the *Sierra Madre News* from R. Robert Evans.

The paper has changed hands quite often during its 88-year history. In 1907, C. W. Hill took over as editor and a year later, George Morgridge was owner.

L. R. (Larry) Goshorn was the popular owner 22 years later, starting on Mar. 7, 1930. The Clifford Wards Sr. bought the paper in 1944 and owned it until 1949 when Mrs. Ward took over the reins after her husband's death. Two years later, she sold *The News* to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ward.

Virginia and Edgar W. Jenkinson purchased the paper on Sept. 1, 1953. Five years later, the paper changed hands to Harry W. Elwood with William F. Thomas as associate editor.

The Ed Herwigs bought the *Sierra Madre News* on Jan. 1, 1960, and two years later, R. Robert Evans purchased the paper. After selling the paper to Jan Reed in 1980, he continued to live in Sierra Madre until his death in March, 1992. His widow, Carrie Evans, still resides here.

The first paper was published with a hand press. In 1909, the two-revolution cylinder press weighing 4000 pounds was installed. In 1947, the fancy Miehle flat bed double revolution press was installed by Clifford Chester Ward Sr., publisher and editor from 1944 to 1949.

In 1980, the old Miehle was retired and since then the paper has been printed by the more up-to-date offset method. Foothill American Printers in Tujunga, owned by Doris Horwith and her sons, are responsible for printing the paper each week.

The old Miehle was given to a printer in Fresno several years ago. The two Intertype linotype machines were given to Sierra Madreans, Jeff and Richard Ward and Bob Licher. We believe that they are still used. At least, we hope so.

At first, we went to photo-typesetting, a method of setting the type for the paper, until we transferred to computer over a year ago. *The News* is still the center of job printing in Sierra Madre, also, for all of those people who want to order flyers, brochures, newsletters, business cards, to name just a few.

Things have changed dramatically at *The News* since the old hand press.

The *Sierra Madre News* was not always in Kersting Court. At first it was pubished on Esperanza, then on S. Baldwin, and in 1908, it moved to "Kersting Building," its present location.

There have been several columns in *The News* over the years. Mr. Evans called his column "Out of the Cobwebs," then was known as "Carrot Top" because of his red hair.

Virginia Jenkinson called her column "This World" and Tommy Ann Miller called hers "Around the Square." Bill Wark authored "On the Trails" and Lee Shippey called his "What Do You Think," while Toni Maurin called the Hastings Ranch section "Villa Views." Then there was "Jottings Here and There" and "Some Words From Others" and, finally, since we are located directly under a very large and old pepper tree, we call our column "Under the Pepper Tree." John Gregory suggested the name and it seemed so appropriate that it has remained for 14 years.

The News has also been affectionately called "The Squeak" for many years. No amount of research reveals why.

We've had many other columns in *The News*. Gertrude Gerke (who supplied much of the above research) wrote "Notes From the Attic" for years. We had a comic strip called "Sara Madre" for a while, and now we have several guest columns: "Letters from Home" by John Henry; "Books Etc." by Margaret Duran, "Out and About" by Dick Rogers, "Arboretum Walks" by Peggy Stewart; "On Stage" by Mary Cogswell Baum; Barry Schwam's "Call an Expert" column; Harry Martin's history column; "Jill's Biblio-file" by Jill Adler; "To See Or Not To See" by Ashleigh Katz; Dorothy Denne's "Coffee" column; "Travels Aboard Phoenix One" by Megan Edwards; and "Arcadia Scene" by JoAnn Scott. We also provide room for both the Fire and Police Departments to report their weekly service calls. And Loren and Albert Metzger and Jim Lonborg provide the weather report each week. The ministers in the surrounding areas also have space in which to outline sermons.

Although Phyllis Chapman does not have a column, per se, she provides the paper with many wonderful historical pieces.

Some of the columns described above are not weekly columns. *The News* has more editorial pieces than many weekly newspapers..

Councilman Adams presents ballot measures Oct. 26

By Phyllis Chapman

With the November election fast approaching and ballot measures to be considered, the Sierra Madre Woman's Club offers an opportunity to be a more informed voter. Members invite the public to attend their public service Tea Meeting on Wednesday, Oct. 26, 1:30 p.m. when Councilman and past Mayor Dr. Gary B. Adams will present pros and cons of the November ballot measures.

For several years Dr. Adams has donated his time to be political analyst for the club and provides a great answer if you are bogged down by the "ballot measure blues" and confused. With his extensive background and knowledge he provides his expertise to help you make your own decision on how to vote on these measures. He is also ready to answer your questions.

WEATHER

By James O. Lonborg and Loren Metzger

	Fahrenheit High	Low	Precip
Oct. 9	94	60	00.00
Oct. 10	93	63	Trace
Oct. 11	90	59	00.66
Oct. 12	85	56	00.30
Oct. 13	75	53	00.00
Oct. 14	71	52	00.00
Oct. 15	73	53	00.00
Week total:			00.96"
Month total:			00.96"
Season to date:			00.96"
1993-94 weather season:			15.53"
1992-93 weather season:			44.42"
1991-92 weather season:			31.10"

1982-83 rainfall was as plentious as 1992-93

Aliya Haque chosen 77th Rose Queen Tuesday

Aliya Haque, 17, of San Marino, was crowned the 77th Rose Queen to reign over the 1995 Tournament of Roses festivities, culminating with the 106th Rose Parade and the 81st Rose Bowl Game. The parade's theme is "Sports--Quest for Excellence."

Queen Aliya, a senior at Polytechnic School, was chosen Tuesday from the recently appointed seven-member Royal Court. She and the other six were chosen from 34 finalists and all competed against 700 Pasadena-area women.

The Queen said she was not overwhelmed by the responsibility but that it will give the Court less time to do their work. "Studies are very important," she reminded the audience.

According to her mother, Queen Aliya is a good organizer and will keep this fame in perspective. She decided to try out for Queen several weeks ago in order to obtain a ticket to the big dance. As the competition escalated, Aliya kept winning until, finally, Tuesday morning, she became Queen.

The month-long selection process is based on a combination of qualities, including public speaking ability, poise, academic achievement, community involvement and personality.

Immediately after she was selected she told one media person that she thought there had been a mistake; however, she quickly garnered strength and poise and was able to field all questions easily.

When her name was called, her father, Irshad Ul-Haque, who was born in Pakistan, broke down while her aunts shouted their pleasure.

The Queen has been a Pasadena-area resident for 17 years and is involved in many activities at Polytechnic School and within the local community. She is yearbook layout editor and a member of the Advanced Acting Ensemble at her school. She also represented Youth and Government statewide through the YMCA and volun-

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NEWLY ANNOUNCED QUEEN IS SHOCKED -- Aliya Haque shows shock and disbelief when her name is called as 77th Rose Queen Tuesday morning at the ceremonies at the Pasadena Tournament House. Also shown are Princess Lianne Meade, 17, Arcadia, and Princess Sabrina White, 16, of South Pasadena.



QUEEN ALIYA HOLDS COURT FOR FIRST TIME -- Rose Queen Aliya Haque accepts her giant bouquet of red roses and is able to field questions with grace immediately after the announcement Tuesday morning that she is the 77th Rose Queen who competed initially against nearly 700 Pasadena-area young women for the honor. Also shown are, not in order, Princess Lianne Mead, Princess Sabrina White, Princess Chelseah Perth, Princess Melissa Dittma, Princess Sandy Cho and Princess Rachelle Joseph.

Editorial History of the Sierra Madre News

Someone said, "You have to know where you've been to know where you're going." I guess that applies to the *Sierra Madre News* whose owner, Jan Reed, celebrates 14 years of owning the paper today, Thursday, Oct. 20, in Kersting Court. Traffic will be stopped about 4 p.m. to set up for the party that starts at 5:30 p.m. in Kersting Court where there will be music, food, guests, and lots of fun.

The News is not the first paper in Sierra Madre, even though it is now the adjudicated paper. N. C. Carter founded the first paper, called the *Sierra Madre Vista*, in 1883, and it was taken over by Lucius House in 1888. The forerunner of *The News* was turned out by hand press on South Baldwin.

The Valley Vista started publication in 1899. Other newspapers that have been published in Sierra Madre are *The Clarion* in the late '60s and the *Sentinel*, published in the late '70s.

The *Sierra Madre News* was founded on Oct. 2, 1906, and published several days later. It has been published weeky since that date.

There was another newspaper, founded by Fred Wesley, one of our Planning Commissioners. As a child he founded the *Sierra Madre Weekly Gazette* on Sept. 16, 1962. This celebrated paper came out every Wednesday, hand-delivered, and cost 3 cents a copy.

Circulation was 20, and the fifth grade student used a hectograph to print it. Others on staff were Charles Hahn, chief reporter and managing editor; a Philippe (?) who was transcript editor; Tom Goodall, reporter and editor; Neal Skarin, assisting managing editor; Steve Abernethy, assistant chief reporter and managing editor; Randy Chuk, reporter with Steve Abernethy as assistant chief and reporter and editor; Rosemary Wesley, paper delivery girl; Lisa Sugmiller, Paul Pulison and Margaret Hahn, reporters; and Terry Caldwell, secretary.

What a masthead. Compare it with that of the *Sierra Madre News* that was founded in 1906.

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Under the Pepper Tree

by Jan Reed

● As I sit here at the computer, Tuesday night, slapping out information about our celebration this Thursday, I realize that I could be in big trouble. I have no voice. And I have a little fever, feel a bit down-in-the mouth. How am I going to be able to host the big party Thursday?

You all might see me speechless for the first time in 14 years. Wouldn't that be an anomaly?

Anyway, I hope you all join us for the party. Should be fun.

● We share great enthusiasm for the elevation of Aliya Haque to Tournament of Roses Queen. She is a lovely, poised young woman who will make the Tournament proud. We have known her for 14 years, watched while she grew out of braces, played the piano at one of the Haque Christmas parties, and was an all-around adorable kid. And now she is Queen.

We congratulate her and the entire family.

● We also congratulate two sets of grandmas: one our own JoAnn Scott whose daughter had a son Tuesday, and Marian Adkins who is a GREAT-grandma to Haley Marie, born June 6.

Special congratulations to you both from another enthusiastic grandma.

● For those of you who wonder from time to time how Marian Adkins is, she is getting along all right. She said that she misses Jerry constantly but is "doing OK generally."

You'll recall that she lost Jerry earlier this year. She continues to live in Wofford Heights.

● I don't want to forget to thank Phyllis Bennet for allowing us to use her art work of the tower in Kersting Court for invitations to the Thursday party. We appreciate her talent.

● One of the pleasures of doing various jobs around the office is a chance to see my friends' names. Recently, I rolled out-of-county and out-of-state papers before we had someone to do that job. As I rolled papers, I found myself reading labels, and saying "hello" silently to friends around the state and around the country.

● We recently received names of winners at the county fair. At an earlier date we told you that Sherryl Christiansen had won a fourth in the baked goods competition. Gemma Senosiain, also of Sierra Madre, was another winner.

Those from Arcadia who won prizes were June D. Shafer, Sally Smith, Saundra L. Coe, Ginni Colliau and Virginia M. Dorian.

Congrats to you all.

● Anyone in a quandary about what to do with unused greeting cards and wrapping paper? The Armory Center for the Arts in Pasadena is joining forces with Pasadena Beautiful Foundation and the city of Pasadena, Street Maintenance and Integrated Waste Management division in sponsoring a greeting card recycling project. These products will be transformed into baskets, collages and other art objects in the outreach and studio art classes at the Armory Center.

Location of the center is 145 North Raymond Ave. Their number is 792-5101.

● Another historical piece by Gertie is one about when Bailey Canyon was dedicated: June 11, 1967. That's Don's birthday.

Master of ceremonies was Sam Simpson who was chairman of the Recreation Commission then, and he introduced Bill Wark (who wrote the piece above) and who was a ranger.

● It was also in 1967 when natural gas service was installed. It was called Southern California Counties Gas Co. and the cost was $40,000 to hitch Sierra Madre into the system.

● Donna Harriman, formerly Sierra Madre's recreation supervisor, sent us some info on the big Half Moon Art and Pumpkin Festival mid-October. It's going to be held Oct. 10, 15 and 16, and sounds like lots of fun.

You'll remember that she and her family moved up there where she is parks and recreation director. If anyone would like her address, we have it...

Urging all to vote for Mountjoy

How I wish I lived there where I could cast my vote for Dick Mountjoy!

Jerry always said that if we had more people in government who had run a business and met a payroll we would all be better off. Makes sense to me.

Of course, Dick Mountjoy has done that and done it well. He has also served us well in Sacramento.

My best to you and all the townsfolk.

Marian Adkins
Wofford Heights, CA

Public Forum

The Sierra Madre News welcomes letters to the editor and reserves the right to edit and delete certain parts of those letters.

All letters must be signed by the author.

Either deliver or send the letters c/o Sierra Madre News, 9 Kersting Court, Sierra Madre, CA 91024.

Thank you. Ed.

Kudos for Broiles and group

Last Tuesday evening (Oct. 11) I spoke before the City Council regarding the plan to assess the residents of Sierra Madre additional fees to pay off a debt of $1.3 million incurred for capital improvements to our water delivery system in previous years. The hearing on this issue began with the current City Administrator, Sean Joyce, presenting a new plan for the retirement of this debt (detailed in the Oct. 13 issue of the *Sierra Madre News*). Mr. Joyce prefaced his remarks by saying that the citizens of Sierra Madre wanted to know how much was owed, for what, and how could the repayment of the debt be made fair to all parties involved. Unfortunately, he left out one critical question on my mind and on that of other residents: namely, how did we get into this mess in the first place?

I asked a few simple questions of the City Council during the open portion of the hearing. To my question as to when the debt was incurred, Mr. Joyce said that the capital improvements to the water system, for which the $1.3 million debt was incurred, occurred between 1989 and 1992. I

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Arboretum Walks

By Peggy Stewart

The Day of the Dead is a traditional family celebration in Mexico, a reunion of the living with the spirits of their ancestors. While the public fiesta makes light of death, privately people honor the memories of their deceased family members.

Flowers, plants, foods, and artifacts all play a large part in the festival's enactment. Marigolds are the symbolic flower of Day of the Dead as pumpkins are symbolic of Halloween. Marigolds, native to Mexico, are the parent plants of the familiar bedding marigold we use so much in our gardens.

Sunday, Oct. 30, at 2 p.m., Day of the Dead will be celebrated at The Arboretum. Dr. Jim Bauml, senior botanist, will speak on "Aztecs, Marigolds and Day of the Dead," bringing to life the origins, uses and symbolism of the marigold dating back to Aztec times and touching on the humor connected with Day of the Dead offerings. Part of the celebration involves placing offerings associated with the deceased on special altars constructed for the festival.

The public is invited to bring flowers, photos or nonperishable food as offerings to place on the altar between 1:45 and 2 p.m. on Sunday. But do remember that The Arboretum cannot be responsible for momentos, which may be picked up at the end of the celebration.

Food and music are an integral part of any fiesta. For this celebration, traditional chocolate and Day of the Dead bread will be served after Jim Bauml's slide lecture. Be sure to call the CAF office to make your reservations. Fees for members are $15 for an adult, $3 for children under 18; non-members pay

Out and About

By Dick Rogers

I just got a phone call...thought it was a crank call at first. I heard this inaudible noise, barely a squeak, almost a whisper. It was the owner of the paper, Jan Reed. She had laryngitis or at least something which rendered her nearly voiceless. She was calling to find out where my column was.

My column? Oooooh...could it be? Yup, it not only could, it **did** be...for the first time in over four years, I forgot to bang out my weekly diatribe. And here it is almost 8:15 p.m. on a Tuesday and Jan Reed, without voice, is down there plugging away so that all of you can read about what's going on in our city.

Obviously, the paper is important to her. She is committed to it. She is coming up on 14 years, I believe, at the helm, and like everything else in the city, she's taken for granted.

Small town newspapers are important to me as well. They are the last vestige of opportunity for every breathing soul to have his or her say. When I read large city newspapers I am wary of the fact that the commentaries and columns seem to be written by well-known and well-publicized people. This fact suggests that only what *they* have to say is important, which is an absurd idea.

I have heralded the virtues of small town newspapers before, but having witnessed some of the more pressing events facing our city recently, I now consider the *Sierra Madre News* a crucial element in our city structure.

I can get your attention quickly here...imagine for a moment if you learned that the *Sierra Madre News* was to close its doors for good. That's a pretty depressing thought but you should think about it.

We are blessed to have such a paper, and we are doubly blessed to have such a trooper running the show. Frankly, I think I would have folded under the weight of so much pressure. My hat is off to you, Jan!

Dorothy's Place

Mama always said

By Dorothy Denne

My Mama had a storehouse of clichés. She often used them to teach me the lessons of life that she felt were important. Cleanliness was one of the things very important to her.

Mama always said, "Cleanliness is next to Godliness." Well, in that regard, I'm afraid I'm not quite as close to God as I used to be. There was a time when you could move any piece of furniture in my house and it would be as clean behind it as in front of it. Now it's not guaranteed.

Mama always said, "Her kitchen is so clean, you could eat off the floor." There was also a time when that described mine to a T. Now, it sometimes looks like someone *has* eaten off it.

Mama always said, "Anything worth doing is worth doing right." Somewhere along the timeline of life, I discovered the feather duster. Maybe not exactly right, but things look pretty good. At first, it was a great way to handle the little in-between cleanings. Now my in-betweens have sometimes become the regular cleanings that they used to be between.

Mama always said, "Cut the mustard and get your work done first. There will be plenty of time left to play." Yesterday, I know it was time to do it right. I got out the vacuum, the mop, the dust rag, the spray polish and went to work. I moved pictures, picked up knick-knacks and hauled furniture. I discovered dust that had been around long enough to form a real relationship with the surfaces upon which it lay. I polished and scrubbed 'til everything was shiny and spotless.

I was next to Godliness. You could eat off my floor. I had done it right. I had cut the mustard, but there was no time left to play.

Next time, I'm going to play *first*, but I'll still do as Mama always said. I'll "put on clean underwear in case I'm in an accident."

DRAFT AGENDA
Sierra Madre Planning Commission
Thurs., Oct. 27, 7:30 p.m., chambers.

Continued public hearing: Tentative Parcel Map No. 24042, conditional use permit and variance, 540 Alegria Ave. for Homestar Corporation/Steve Miller, who request two-lot subdivision to be created from 1 existing R-1 lot.

Public hearing, Tentative Parcel Map No.24120, 166-168 West Highland Ave., Frank Szerdahelyi requests a wall height variance in the rear.

Variance, 663 Brookside Lane, John and Sharon Beveridge request side yard variance to construct garage.

Variance, 60 Sunnyside Ave., 531 W. Mariposa Ave., McFal and Cummings request variance for common wall.

Variance, 360 N. Adams, Adam Kolawa requests a rear and side yard variance for three-car carport.

Variance, 269 Sturtevant Dr., City Council requests clarification of Ord. 1037 re: building regulations of recreational equipment.

City-wide R-1 standards to be reviewed by Planning Commission.

Singles to meet Nov. 28

The San Gabriel Valley YWCA Singles will offer a rap session, "How Men and Women View Each Other," with Rick Ingoldsby, moderator, on Monday, Nov. 28, at 7 p.m. at 961 S. Glendora Ave. in West Covina. Singles Club programs are held every Monday evening at the YWCA except the third Monday of the month.

The fee is $4 for YWCA members or $5 for non-members. Call (818) 960-2995.

Banis questions use of blowers

Joe Banis of Sierra Madre at the last City Council meeting questioned the use of gas-powered weed blowers in Sierra Madre. He called them "pollutants" and suggested that they not be used in Sierra Madre. "They trigger hay fever, asthma, and are also very loud," he told the council.

According to Banis, South Pasadena allows no gas-powered blowers. In San Marino, the highest decibel of any type of motor may not go above 65 decibels.

The News called Monrovia and Arcadia city halls, and there are no codes registered concerning the blowers.

The council will discuss this matter next Tuesday at the regular meeting.

Committee is 'on the road'

The General Plan Steering Committee has targeted the months of September, October and November to meet with the city's Boards, Commissions and Committees as well as key city staff, to identify goals and policies for the draft document. To date, members have attended meetings of the Economic Development Committee and the Cultural Heritage Commission.

The General Plan will be discussed at the Parks and Recreation Commission on Oct. 24 and Library Board of Trustees in November. Other meeting dates are still being arranged.

The General Plan Committee will meet on Oct. 24, Nov. 7 and Nov. 21. Meetings are on Mondays at 7:30 p.m. in the Council Conference Room at City Hall.

Jim Mitsch, acting director of public works, will be featured at the Oct. 24 committee meeting.

Residents who are interested in attending meetings about specific topics may contact Anne McIntosh, director of development services, at (818) 355-7135 for further information.

Flahies have son

Jan and Tom Flahie of Sierra Madre are the parents of a son, Jason Edward Flahie, 6 lbs. 1 oz., born July 15. Jason was 19 inches long.

What was Argentina capital?

From 1853 to 1862, the city of Parana was the capital of Argentina.

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American Indian, Western Relic Show scheduled for Oct. 21, 22 and 23

The American Indian and Western Relic Show and Sale will run in Pasadena at the Pasadena Center, 300 E.Green St., on Oct. 21, 22 and 23.

There will be an endless array of collectible items by nationally recognized artisans including sandpaintings, shields, sculptures, beadwork, bronzes, Indian fashions, lithographs, leather goods, dolls, textiles, paintings, to name a few.

Indian dancers will perform Saturday at 2 and 6 p.m., and on Sunday at 1 p.m.

This well-known show is open to the public on Friday, from 2 to 8 p.m., on Saturday from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., and on Sunday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Cost is $6 with seniors paying only $5. Children from 6 to 12 years of age are $2, and children under 6 are admitted free.

Pasadena City College starts concert series

On Friday, Oct. 21, brass and woodwind ensembles will kick off the concerts at Pasadena City College at 8 p.m. at Harbeson Hall. On the next evening, Saturday, Oct. 22, there will be a classical guitar student recital at 8 p.m., Harbeson Hall.

Students will perform their own compositions on Friday, Oct. 28, and on Thursday, Nov. 17, 8 p.m. in K100, there will be percussion ensembles.

On the next evening, Friday, Nov. 18, the chamber orchestra will play at 8 p.m. in Harbeson Hall.

Mahony to speak

Cardinal Roger M. Mahony and Valerie Dillon, counselor, author and lecturer, will addres the annual Conference of the Los Angeles Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women to be held at the Universal Hilton Hotel on Wednesday, Oc. 26, from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Cost of $30 includes exhibit viewing, speaker, Mass and luncheon. Theme is "Families--A Sign of God's Presence."

For information call the council office, (213) 251-3394. Reservations required. Deadline is Oct. 15. Parking is $3.

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Letters from home

How do these things start?

This one probably began something like this:

Long ago, in some southern country by the sea, a person was walking along the beach. He had never paid much attention to all the "sand dollars," but this day he picked one up for closer study. (He was one of the more inquisitive members of his village, but there is no reason to believe that he knew that this was the skeletal remains of a sea urchin, probably an Echinrackmus parma. Indeed, there was probably no book in the village other than a Bible at the church.)

But he was in a studious mood, and noted that on one side of the round, flat dollar, there was the outline of a flower which looked remarkably like a Christmas flower. Surprised and intrigued, he turned it over, and there was the clear outline of a lily. Since he was a reverent as well as thoughtful person, he deemed it an Easter lily.

Then he noted the holes in the thing and, encouraged by discovery of the flower, he immediately concluded that these were the nail holes caused when the savior was attached to the cross.

His excitement was at a pitch, so much so that he crushed the fragile piece in his hand, and there in his palm were tiny fragments looking for all the world like flying birds. Given the preponderance of previous evidence, these had to be "doves of peace."

Well, by this time he was halfway back to the village to reveal his discovery: here, in the remnant of a sea animal, was the story of Christianity.

Of course, being humans, the majority of village residents rushed to the beach and proceeded to break up every sand dollar they could find, each convincing himself of the truth their buddy had discovered.

Of course, there were a few skeptics who remained in the village--"disbelievers."

And there are still some of those today. After all, what could a sea urchin know of such esoteric stuff?

And there are those of us who at least like to contemplate the words of the poet--"to hold eternity in a grain of sand."

Yes, we have studied, and broken, a lot of them.

Hike a little at Big Santa Anita Canyon

By Terry Terrell

QUESTION: Where can you change the roar of traffic to the babble of a crystal clear stream, power poles to alder, oaks and bay laurels, malls and signs to ferns, grass and wildflowers, sidewalks to wilderness trails ready to receive gentle footfalls leading to nature's wonder?

ANSWER: Big Santa Anita Canyon.

The Friends of Big Santa Anita Canyon invite the public to join them as they conduct introductory hikes in Big Santa Anita Canyon. The hikes are designed for the family to become involved with nature. The hikes are sociable, paced to enjoy the streams, trees and wildlife. Meet at Chantry Flat by the kiosk in the lower parking lot by 8:30 a.m. on the first, third and fifth Saturday of each month. The first hike of the winter season will be Oct. 29.

Each hike explores a different area of the canyon. The history, pioneers, lodges and wildlife are discussed at various stopping places along the way.

Chantry Flat can be reached by exiting the 210 freeway at Santa Anita Ave. in Arcadia; drive north five miles. The road ends in the parking lots at Chantry Flat. Directions and maps can be acquired at the Visitor Information Station. There are no parking or hiking fees. For information, please leave your phone number on the 24-hour recorder at (818) 359-1393.

Youth Baseball needs financial aid

The Sierra Madre Pony/Colt Baseball League is in need of funds for improvements of the facility at Dapper Field. The volunteers that run the Pony/Colt League are interested in improving the program for our youth.

The city of Sierra Madre does not have the financial resources to contribute to this worthwhile program and its facility.

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Police Blotter

Sierra Madre Poice answered 89 calls during the week of Oct. 10 through 16. There were no major crimes on all days but Oct. 13.

On Oct. 13, a report came into the department that a male suspect was going door-to-door, taking money under false pretenses. He said to victims, "I need money for a tow truck." The location was the 700 block of Manzanita and there is a warrant out for a Hispanic male, 33 years old, possibly from the Pasadena area.

An auto was struck on Mountain Trail and Sierra Madre Blvd. and minor damage resulted. The westbound party on West Sierra Madre Blvd. turned south, failing to stop at the sign. He misjudged the turn and struck the other auto.

Aliya Haque chosen

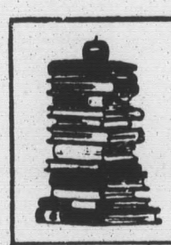
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teered in a City Councilmember's office. She hopes to major in history at either Emory or Vanderbilt University.

Queen Aliya has one sister, Aisha Haque, 26, who resides in New York. Another sister, Mariam, was killed in an auto crash just before Christmas four years ago.

The 106th Tournament of Roses Parade begins at 8 a.m. on Saturday, Jan. 2. Following the Rose Parade, the 81st Rose Bowl Game will kick off at 1:50 p.m.

Not only will the family celebrate Queen Aliya's reign but they will also celebrate Linda's birthday on Oct. 20.



Books Etc.

By Margaret Duran

By Margaret Duran

NEW BOOKS TO TEMPT YOUR TASTES

Recently arrived and almost ready to check out are some wonderful books to satisfy a variety of tastes. There are biographies of Princess Grace, Dolly Parton, the naturalist Edward O. Wilson, Lauren Bacall, Elvis Presley, and Stephen Sondheim. New holiday books are: "Holidays and Celebrations" from *Southern Living Magazine*, "Scrap Saver's 101 Great Little Gifts," by Sandra Foose; "Holidays," by Martha Stewart; "House Beautiful Christmas" and "Decorating for Christmas," by Sheila Pickles.

For the art appreciative there are: "Heartland," by Charles Wysocki; "American Art: History and Culture," by Wayne Craven, "Jasper Johns," by Michael Chrichton; "The Art of the Lion King," by Christopher Finch; "Painting in the North: Alaskan Art in the Anchorage Museum of History and Art," by Kesler E. Woodward; and "The Barbizon School and the Origins of Impressionism," by Steven Adams. For the gardener there are: "Taylor's Master Guide to Gardening, Bulbs for All Seasons," from *Better Homes and Gardens*; "Tasha Tudor's Garden," by Tovah Martin; "The Ultimate Rose Book," by Stirling Macoby; and "Herbs: The Visual Guide to More Than 700 Herb Species from Around the World," by Lesley Bremness. Besides all these there are cookbooks, decorating books, diet and health books, and lots of new novels and mysteries. Come check us out!

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S.M. Recycling Center, located at the rear of 611 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., now takes *cardboard only*. Money received will be divided between City Environmental Fund and Western Waste. *Please recycle*!

Thurs., Oct. 20

Sierra Madre News Mixer in Kersting Court, 5:30 p.m.

Homeowners/Residents Association, 7:30 p.m., council chambers.

Fri., Oct. 21

"Listening to Voices" open poetry reading at 7:30 p.m., introduced by Loretta Manill. Free.

Mon., Oct. 24

Rose Float Association, 7:30 p.m., council chambers.

Tues., Oct. 25

City Council, 6:30 p.m., council chambers.

Wed., Oct. 26

Sierra Madre Woman's Club, 500 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., invites the public to Councilman Dr. Gary Adams' presentation of the pros and cons of the November ballot measures at their Tea meeting, 1:30 p.m.

Thurs., Oct. 27

Planning Commission, 7:30 p.m., council chambers.

Mon., Oct. 31

Sierra Madre Civic Club's Spook House, located at rear of City Hall. Open from 5:30-8 p.m.

Sun., Nov. 6

Sierra Madre Historical Preservation Society invites you to a social for owners of Sierra Madre's historic structures. 2 p.m. at the historic Fletcher House, 89 Olive.

Fri., Nov. 11

Travelers & Collectors series begins new season with "North Pole via Ice Breaker" by Michael Charters at 7:30 p.m. Free.

The Senior Citizens Club meets at a new location every Saturday from 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. throughout the year at S. M. Congregational Church, 170 W. S.M. Bl.

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The Senior Center lunch program meets at a *new* temporary location from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. weekdays at the Recreation Center, 611 E. Sierra Madre Blvd.

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The Sierra Madre Homeowners/Residents Association meets the fourth Thursday of every month at City Hall.

S.M. Environmental Action Council meets in the City Hall conference room at 7:30 p.m. on the third Tuesday of each month.

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Free blood pressure clinic at St. Rita's O'Malley Hall, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., primarily, but not exclusively, for senior citizens. Clinic held last Monday of every month.

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Tournament funds vital to expand community program

By Phyllis Chapman

Applications are still available for that fun-for-funds event, the Annual Louise Corp Memorial Tennis Tournament benefiting our Sierra Madre Police Department, which will be held Friday, Oct. 21. Pick up an application in City Hall or call event co-chairs Nolie Howard, 355-7466, or Olive Buchan, 355-6589.

Tennis and luncheon are $25. At noon a catered luncheon will be served in the Recreation Center, 611 E. Sierra Madre Blvd. In case of rain it will be luncheon only. Anyone not playing is invited to come for the delicious lunch which is $15. Following lunch, festivities will be enjoyed and prizes awarded.

At the Sierra Madre Woman's Club Oct. 12 meeting, Police Chief Joe Surgent was a most excellent speaker. He spoke of the dedication of members of our Police Dept. but because of the extremely tight city budget there is no flexibility. Proceeds from this tournament would help provide for an expanded neighborhood watch and community safety program and also Sgt. Christensen's anti-drug and anti-crime program for local schools.

Donations to this benefit would be most welcome. Anyone wishing to donate please make checks out to City of Sierra Madre and mail to Nolie Howard, P.O. Box 2, Sierra Madre, CA 91025.

Figures don't add up

One of our readers called after last week's paper was published and asked for clarification on the figures presented by city staff concerning the water assessment idea that was outlined at the last City Council meeting. City Administrator Sean Joyce realized when we called him that the incorrect figures had been used in that part of the staff report. And in our haste at that late hour last Tuesday, we failed to run the figures to make sure they "jibed." Well, they did not.

The figures should be corrected as follows: the recovery target of the repayment presented last week is $1,395,182. From that figure should be subtracted $1,200-,444 for the aggregate assessment revenue, and $59,363 which came from summer water sales. Also subtract $135,000 for the money received from the sale of water to Arcadia. This leaves $375, which is the overage.

All of our apologies.

Ed.

Tall tower

The Eiffel Tower is 98 feet tall.

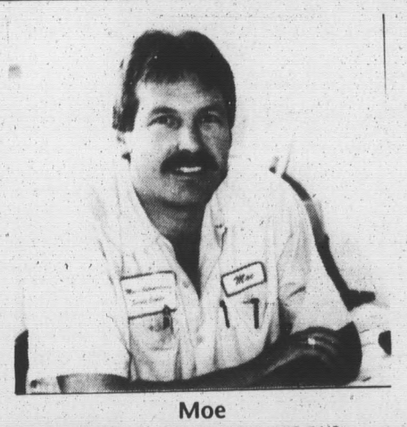
Homeowners/Residents Association Oct. 20

Caroline Brown will speak on the Sierra Madre Mountain Conservancy and the use of funds at the next Homeowners/Residents Association on Thursday, Oct. 20, at 7:30 p.m.

This is the eighth anniversary of the group.

The meeting will be at city hall.

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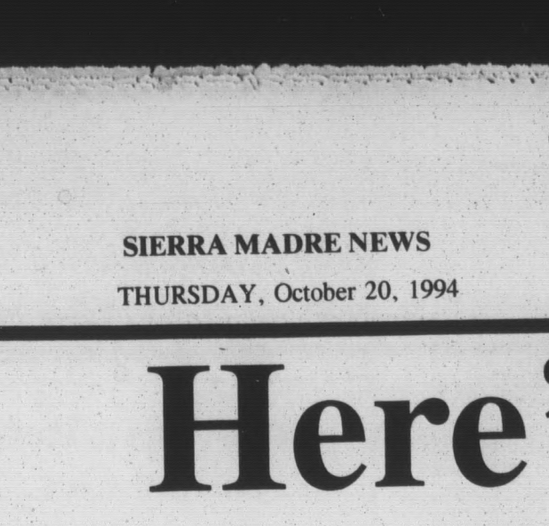
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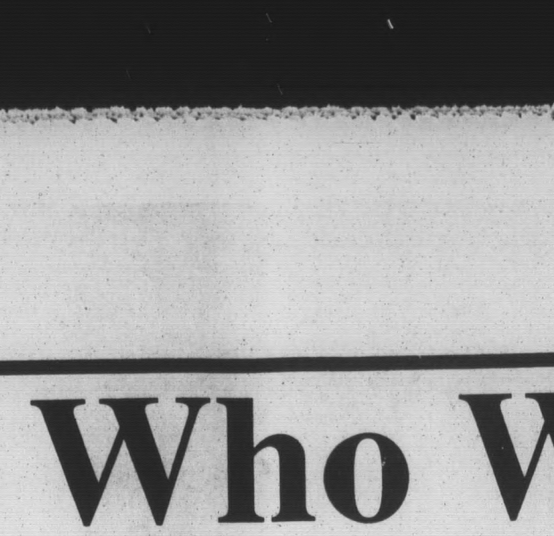
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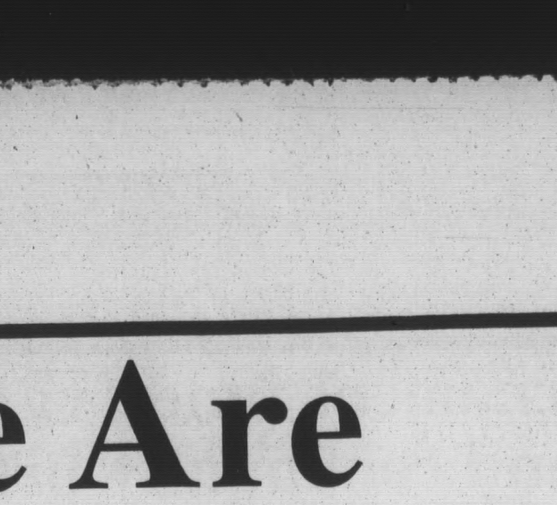
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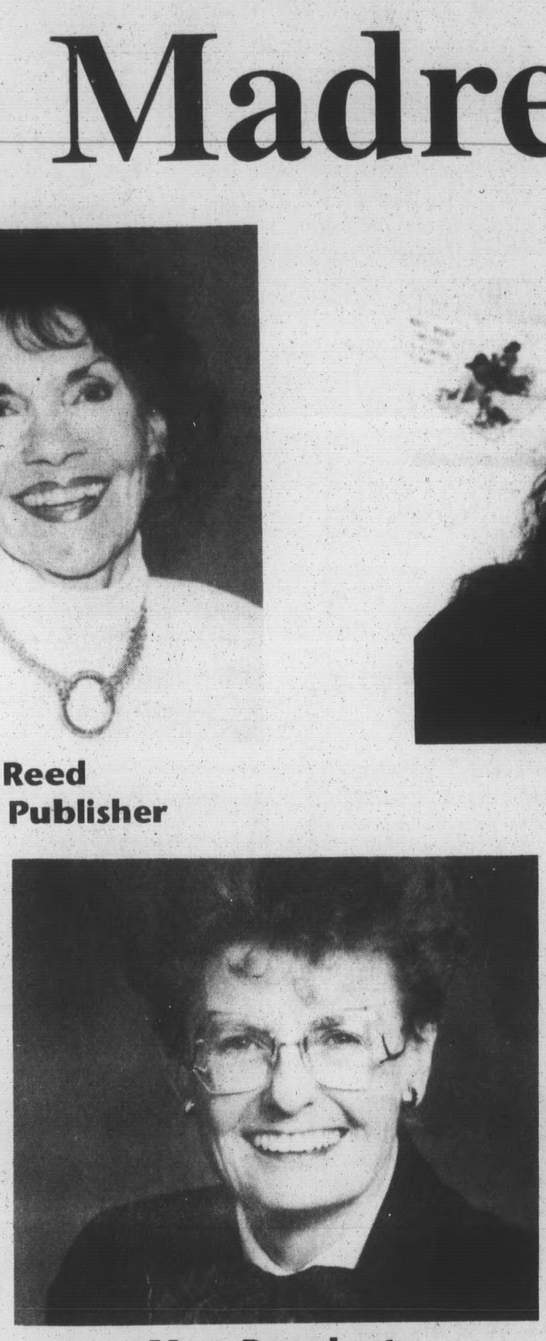
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Welcome To Our Party Tonight!

'Christmas Is...' contributing to RSVP

A special dress rehearsal of the annual "Christmas Is..." musical featuring Ben Bollinger's Citrus singers and local elementary students will be held Thursday, Dec. 1, at 9:30 a.m. Proceeds will benefit the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP), a federally-funded program that places seniors 55+ in volunteer positions with nonprofit and civic organizations. RSVP is sponsored by the Pasadena Senior Center.

"Christmas Is..." will be held at Citrus College's Haugh Performing Arts Center, 1000 W. Foothill Blvd., Glendora. Tickets are $9 per person and can be purchased in advance. The deadline for ordering tickets is Wednesday, Nov. 23.

For more information or to order tickets please call the Pasadena RSVP office at (818) 397-4066.

Landmark treasures explored at Nov. 6 social

By Phyllis Chapman

Sierra Madre Historical Preservation Society invites you to "Discover the Treasures in Your Neighborhood" at a social to be held Sunday, Nov. 6, 2 p.m. in the historic Fletcher House, 89 Olive.

This will be a time to discover the wonderful historic homes and buildings that enrich our city, an opportunity to consider their preservation for the future and to become acquainted with other owners of landmark properties. California Jameson Society President Dane Room. Lenton will have a large map of the city on display that will be number-coded with photographs of sites and buildings on the landmark list.

The society has a goal to increase our archives pertaining to historical properties and are asking those who attend to bring a small photo of their property and written information so that these may be added to our records, which are kept in the library's

Present owners of the Fletcher House, Rick and Julie Shindle, invite those who attend to tour their home, one of the city's finest examples of historic restoration and preservation.

Dr. and Mrs. H.C. Fletcher came to Sierra Madre from New York and built this Victorian farmhouse in 1890. Dr. Fletcher purchased a portion of the tract bordered by Auburn and Olive, originally part of the land subdivided in 1888 by Sierra Madre founder Nathaniel Carter, known as the Olive View Tract.

Situated on a rise of land, the house with its sweeping front porch and full second story balcony provided for a commanding view of the valley and the enjoyment of cool evening breezes.

In 1901 Dr. Fletcher sold to an older couple from Pennsylvania, William and Abigail Henszy. Their youngest son Thomas married Carter's daughter Julia and they made their home at 700 Chaparral Rd. When Julia died in 1965, a widow, she had lived there for 60 years.

Catherine, another of the Henszy children, and her husband Preston Schwartz had a son, also named Thomas. This Thomas and his wife Margaret were active in the community and he served as Mayor from 1942-43 and 1945-46. He owned a hardware store where Household Bank is today. His younger brother, Sam, was principal at Blair High School for several years.

When his wife died, William Henszy sold the home in 1905. Subsequent owners have been O.M. Caldwell, Dr. and Mrs. A.J. Rust, Peggy Burgess and her sister Mrs. Shaw, Roy and Eve Begley, John and Cathy McLain, and Dr. Henry and Mattie Kirk.



1890 FLETCHER HOUSE -- 89 Olive, where the Historical/Preservation Society will hold a social on Sunday, Nov. 6, 2 p.m. to explore the city's historical treasures.



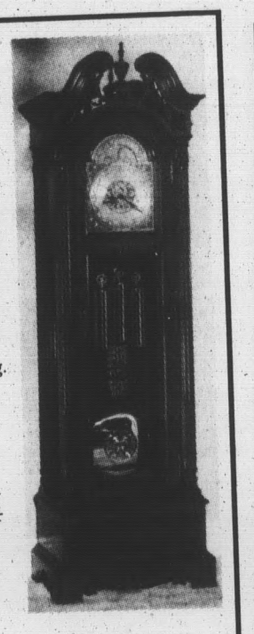
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Local resident earns award

Rita Alexander of Sierra Madre recently earned an award for logging 100.0 hours in the American Quarter Horse Association Horseback Riding Program, sponsored by Drysdales' Western Store of Tulsa, OK. The program provides AQHA members recognition for time spent riding American Quarter Horses.

Current AQHA members must complete an official application and pay a one-time $25 enrollment fee. Each participant receives an official AQHA log sheet to keep track of their hours. Members need not own their own horse, but all official hours must be accrued either riding or driving a registered American Quarter Horse.

The first award, a program recognition patch and halter, is presented after 50 hours have been logged and verified. Additional patches are awarded at the 100 and 250-hour levels, with those achieving the 250-hour level receiving a belt buckle featuring the Horseback Riding Program logo. At 500 hours, participants receive a $25 gift certificate from Drysdales Western Store of Tulsa, OK, good toward the purchase of an official AQHA jacket, travel bags, insulated Travel'N Pack, large gear bag, saddle carrier, Justin Roper boots, an AQHA watch or Miller's Sportific sneakers. Any rider logging 1000 hours received a $50 gift certificate for Justin calfskin boots, a bronze sculpture, selected Montana Silversmiths belt buckles, or selected AQHA watches. Those attaining the 2000 hour level are awarded a $100 gift certificate redeemable toward Dan Post ostrich boots, a Resistol Black Gold hat, Limited Edition masterpiece AQHA watches or selected saddles.

For additional information about the AQHA Horseback Riding program, please contact AQHA at P.O. Box 200, Amarillo, TX 79168, or call (806) 376-4888.

Free flu shots Oct. 25

Free flu shots will be given to senior citizens on Tuesday, Oct. 25, from 9 to 11:30 a.m., at the Recreation Center, 611 E. Sierra Madre Blvd.

Immunization is offered to persons 60 and older by the County of Los Angeles Department of Health Services and is also available for persons of any age with certain chronic conditions.

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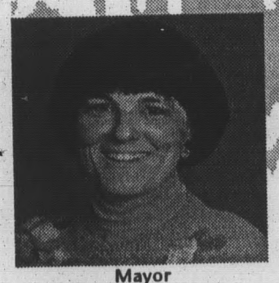
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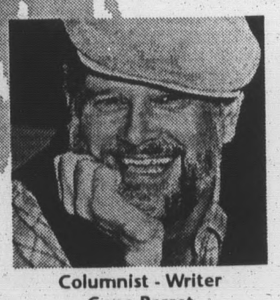

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Moriarity's campaign for Superior Court Judge picks up steam

In the race to become the next Los Angeles County Superior Court Judge, Office #2, candidate John Moriarity, along with scores of volunteers and supporters, are mounting a campaign headed for victory, they believe.

The former trial attorney with 30 years of experience said recently, "For my entire career, I have been dedicated to upholding the law and advocating a strong justice system. As a judge I will serve the citizens of Los Angeles County with honesty, integrity and impartiality."

He has been rated "well-qualified" by the Los Angeles County Bar Association and several law enforcement officials, including Sierra Madre Police Department. They have endorsed Moriarity because of his commitment to public safety and public service to drug prevention programs. Among those who have endorsed him are the Los Angeles County Police Chiefs' Association, Sheriff Sherman Block, the Los Angeles Police Protective League and the Southern California Alliance of Law Enforcement. Also supporting him are the League of Women Prosecutors and the Association of Deputy District Attorneys.

Public officials who hope for his election success are former Governor George Deukmejian, U.S. Congressmen Matthew Martinez and Carlos Moorhead; California State Senators Art Torres, Newton Russell and Cathie Wright; former Senator and police chief Ed Davis; California Assemblymember Paula Boland; Los Angeles County Supervisors Mike Antonovich and Deane Dana; Los Angeles City Council President John Ferraro and Councilmembers Richard Alatorre, Hal Bernson and Rudy Svorinich.

Running against him is Assemblyman Terry Friedman of Encino.

Moriarity has tried over 200 cases to verdict, has tried and then argued Appellate cases that have changed the law in the state of California as well as arguing before the Hawaiian and Nevada Supreme Courts. One of his cases is cited in the California Book of Approved Jury Instructions that is a model for jury instructions in California and its neighboring states.

The candidate received both his BA and Jurisprudence Doctor's degree from UCLA. He did graduate work in medical-legal work at USC. The candidate progressed though the ranks of the Army Reserve after being on active duty and was promoted to full Colonel in 1981. Prior to completing 20 years in 1987, his last three assignments were as Supervising Judge Advocate, Santa Monica; commander of the Military Law Center, San Pedro, and finally as Supervising Judge Advocate, Los Alamitos. He holds the Army Commendation Medal with two oak leaf clusters, Meritorious Service Ribbon with two oak leaf clusters and The Legion of Merit.

Moriarity is married and they have five sons and a daughter.



CANDIDATE MORIARITY shakes hands with Sierra Madre Police who support him, Officer Frank Nunes and Police Chief Joe Surgent.

Sierra Madre Fire Department gives Halloween pointers

On behalf of the Fire Prevention Bureau, the following are some safety tips to remember while celebrating Halloween.

* Purchase costumes made of "flame retardant" material.
* Avoid flimsy materials such as lightweight cotton fabrics which are easily ignited.
* Keep hemlines short enough to prevent tripping and avoid loose, baggy sleeves.
* Children should carry flashlights for light.
* Instruct children to stay away from open flames.
* Jack-o-lanterns that have an open flame device should be placed up off the ground so that long or full costumes and young trick-or-treaters' hands cannot come in contact with the flame.
* Costumes should incorporate reflective tape in their design so children can be seen easily.
* Remove objects from the yard that present a hazard to children (garden tools, hose, etc.).
* Be extremely careful with tinder-dry cornstalks and other harvest season items. Keep them away from sources of heat and don't let them block doorways or stairs.
* If you are driving on Halloween, take care...watch out for trick-or-treaters who will be too busy to watch out for you.
* The most important precaution is to be certain small children are under supervision at all times!

Hawkins to speak to Singles

The San Gabriel Valley YWCA Singles will offer "Enhancing the Self-Image for Successful Living" with hypnotherapist Warren Hawkins on Monday, Nov. 7, at 7 p.m. at 961 S. Glendora Ave. in West Covina.

The fee is $4 for YWCA members or $5 for non-members. Call (818) 960-2995 for more information. Singles Club programs are held every Monday evening except the third Monday of the month at the YWCA.

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ADVICE ABOUT DYES

In their natural state, cotton, wool, silk and linen are either white or yellowish and dull. And even the synthetic fibers— like rayon, acetate, nylon, orlon and what have you do not emerge from their final chemical gestation with any color to speak of.

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And if it isn't it's just plain common sense that you can expect it to bleed color when it's cleaned or washed.

Why not buy things that are color fast? There will be problems enough with fading due to gas fumes or excessive exposure to sunlight and the chemical action of grime and stains without starting out under a handicap.

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Rep. Dreier called a 'Heroic Waste-Fighter'; earns place in CCAGW's Top 35

The Council for Citizens Against Government Waste (CCAGW) last week honored Representative David Dreier (R-Calif.) as a "heroic" ally of the taxpayer, upon release of the citizen group's *1994 Congressional Ratings*.

"With an 81.08 percent rating, Rep. Dreier is among the 35 most fiscally responsible members of Congress," said CCAGW President Thomas A. Schatz, "and deserves the gratitude of all taxpayers for his heroic and consistent efforts to put the interests of the taxpayer above those of the special interests and hold the line against the big spenders."

Any member of Congress receiving 80 percent or better "are in the waste-fighting elite," according to Schatz, and "deserve special recognition for their tireless efforts to ensure that every dollar Washington takes away from hard-working, overtaxed Americans is not lost in a black hole."

CCAGW is a nonpartisan, nonprofit organization, established in 1984 following the release of the Grace Commission Report, to lobby elected officials on matters of government waste, mismanagement and inefficiency.

New look at health care

In the U.S., health care has become the dominant national issue--we want it, the majority say, but do we want the trillion bucks it will cost?

L. Ron Hubbard, the author of *Dianetics: The Modern Science of Mental Health*, conducted extensive research into this phenomenon. In addition to his discoveries about the role the mind plays in causing illness, he also found that there is a percentage of "antisocial" individuals in society whose goals are destructive to the lives of others. According to Mr. Hubbard, a majority of illness is precipitated by these antisocial types. These have specific characteristics.

There were a dozen characteristics that L. Ron Hubbard catalogued, but one can plainly see how associating with such types can "bring one down" and how one could make oneself ill from the association. There have been remarkable resurgences of well-being by those who, finding they are continually ill, have located and learned how to deal with antisocial types in their environment.

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If you have a question regarding your pet write "Ask Dr. Tami," P.O. Box 661270, Arcadia, CA 91066-1270



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Halloween activities 'orange' up Sierra Madre downtown area

Children in Sierra Madre have the opportunity to participate in another of the village's traditions: the annual costume contest, haunted house and 10-cent carnival, all on Monday, Oct. 31.

Kiwanis Club sponsors the costume contest which begins with registration from 4:15 to 4:55 p.m. in Kersting Court. Children, walking through 14 years, are invited to participate and all registrations will be taken on that day only.

Between 5 and 5:30 p.m., contestants and their families will walk from Kersting Court to Memorial Park, led by Sierra Madre Volunteer Fire Department.

The contest, from 5:30 to 8 p.m., will be held in the band shell area of Memorial Park. Awards will be presented for first, second and third place winners in each age category which is as follows: walking to 2 years, 3 and 4 years, 5 and 6 years, 7 and 8 years, 9 and 10 years, and 11 to 14 years.

Parents will only be permitted on stage during the judging for walking to 1 year old. Awards will be presented immediately following the judging of all age groups. No pre-registration is required.

The Haunted House, which is for all ages, will be in the basement of city hall (entrance at the rear of city hall near the tennis courts). No fee is required. This is sponsored by Sierra Madre Civic Club and Sierra Madre Search and Rescue Team.

The 10-cent carnival, also for all ages, is scheduled for the park, also, and is sponsored by the Sierra Madre Recreation Department. Kids should start saving their dimes to win candy and other prizes.

Those wishing more information should call the Sierra Madre Recreation Department at (818) 355-5278, Monday through Friday between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Changes in Sierra Madre Transportation Program to be implemented on Nov. 1

By Tara Schultz, administrative aide

On Nov. 1, Sierra Madre will implement several changes to its transportation program aimed at improving current service. November will be a transitional period to allow Sierra Madre residents to become acquainted with the new service hours, the use of vouchers, transportation providers, and new phone numbers.

Beginning Nov. 1, Sierra Madre operator Herb's Taxi will become the city's primary transportation provider. Herb's Taxi will be assisted by Foothill Area Community Services (FACS) to transport wheelchair-bound patrons. Herb's Taxi will be providing the same high quality door-to-door service for all Sierra Madre residents as in the past.

In an attempt to improve current services and further accommodate residents, Herb's service area has been extended to a two-mile radius outside the Sierra Madre boundaries and to Arcadia medical offices. FACS will provide similar medical and handicapped accessible transportation service for disabled and wheelchair-bound residents.

Requests for service can be made by contacting Herb's Taxi at 355-3873. Patrons requiring handicapped accessible or wheelchair service may contact Herb's Taxi and the request will be forwarded to FACS, or patrons may call FACS directly at 794-0992. The maximum response time is approximately 45 minutes.

Both service providers will operate Monday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Service is not available Sundays or holidays. Saturday rides must be reserved by noon of the preceding Friday.

The city of Sierra Madre will be instituting a voucher system for these two services as well. Each voucher is worth 50 cents and will be sold in a book of 30 for $15 or in groups up to 30. Patrons may purchase as many as two books a month. For everyone's convenience vouchers will be sold at City Hall, the Recreation Center, the Senior Center, and the Library.

Vouchers may also be purchased by mail at the following address: Sierra Madre City Hall, Attn: Vouchers, 232 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., Sierra Madre, CA 91024.

Please allow five to seven days for vouchers requested by mail.

One-way voucher rates are as follows:

Seniors	.50=1 voucher	$1=2 vouchers
Children	.50=1 voucher	$1=2 vouchers
Handicapped	.50=1 voucher	$1=2 vouchers
Other	$1 =2 vouchers	$2=4 vouchers

Effective Dec. 1, 1994, all riders not possessing vouchers will be responsible for paying full taxi meter fare.

If you have any questions regarding the new transportation program please feel free to contact City Hall at 355-7135. Information will also be available at locations where vouchers are sold.

Sommer library scholarship awarded

Lori Matter, library assistant at the Sierra Madre Public Library, has been awarded a Sommer Library Scholarship which will enable her to continue her Masters Degree in Library and Information Science, which she is pursuing at San Jose State University through a satellite program at California State University, Fullerton.

Lori works full-time at Sierra Madre Library, managing the Young Adult, Audio Visual and Interlibrary Loan Services. She finds Sierra Madre a good community in which to work, and has particularly enjoyed aspects of the Masters degree which will assist her in her work with Sierra Madre patrons, including studies on reference sources and resources available on the Internet. She hopes to complete her studies in December.

The Sommer Scholarship was created by John Sommer and Cynthia Hicks, both ardent supporters of public library service in the community, to assist individuals who wish to further their professional librarianship education. Sommer, a lawyer with Baker and Hostetler, has served as president of the Friends of the Sierra Madre Library as well as chairman of the Sierra Madre Art Fair. Hicks received her Masters in Library and Information Science from the University of California, Los Angeles, and is now librarian at the Eagle Rock branch of the Los Angeles Public Library.

Contributions to the scholarship fund can be made to: Sommer Library Scholarship Fund, Friends of the Sierra Madre Library, P.O. Box 334, Sierra Madre, CA 91025.



Cynthia Hicks, scholarship winner Lori Matter and John Sommer.

Spotlight to shine on beauty at Plaza Pasadena

"You must have been a beautiful baby, you must have been a beautiful child." On Saturday, Oct. 22, beautiful babies, children and teens from throughout the southland will compete as Plaza Pasadena hosts the 4th Annual Beauty Unlimited Pageant.

Proud parents can show off their little beauties from 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m., as boys and girls compete in four categories and seven age groups.

Each contestant will receive a trophy, a pageant program and balloons. Plus, winners from each age group will be eligible to go on to the 1995 Miss/Mr. California State pageant.

'Silver Saturday' set for Oct. 22

On Saturday, Oct. 22, breast cancer survivors, families and friends will gather for the third annual "Silver Saturday," celebrating the survival of breast cancer. They will meet from 10 a.m. to noon in Pasadena's Memorial Park bandshell at the corner of Raymond and Walnut.

Dr. Susan Love, head of the Breast Center at UCLA and author of "the" book on breast cancer, will be the main speaker. Welcoming speaker will be Pasadena Mayor Katie Nack, a lung and breast cancer survivor. Also on the podium will be Dr. Una Morris, radiologist.

Linda and Adolph Cannard and daughter Sarah will speak. Linda is now pregnant with her second child, her first born after treatment for breast cancer. Members of the Cal Poly Pomona Women's Basketball team will serve as volunteers in honor of their coach, currently in treatment for breast cancer.

Also in the audience that day will be Dr. Vera Vignes, superintendent of the Pasadena Unified School District, who holds down a demanding job while undergoing chemotherapy.

Music that day will be by Bosom Buddies and a mural, done by the children of Barbara Wambolt's class at Sierra Madre School, will be featured.

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Odd Jobs and experts of the past

The 'Blah, Blah Theory'

By Barry Schwam

Have you ever stopped to think about how we humans are the only creatures in the universe (as far as we know) that use our language to express a symbolic representation of a person, place or thing? In other words, as we speak, the sounds we make represent the objects, places, and people, plus all other things that are a part of our lives for the past, present, and future. This is different than even the most complex sounds made from the highest forms of animal life. They can only make sounds that communicate their immediate needs; such as locations of food, shelter, or approaching danger.

But *like* us, they can also express emotional feeling. This seems to be a trait of all the higher forms of animal life. But the ability to *think* about what to say seems to be ours alone. Scientists throughout the years have come up with various theories as to how we developed our unique ability to communicate our thoughts.

First, there was the "Bow-Wow Theory." This was brought about by philology expert Max Muller, back in the 1800s. He thought our language developed from our attempts to imitate the natural sounds around us. For example, when a cow goes, "moo," we would hear the *sound*, and would create the word, "moo," based on the sound we heard. Another example would be the "meow" of a cat, thus the word, *meow*. These kinds of words are also known as onomatopoeic words. A few more examples: trickle, plop, fizz, or snap, crackle and, you guessed it, pop!

Then there was the "Pooh-Pooh Theory" of language. The "Pooh-Pooh Theory" suggests we formed words from spontaneous emotional expressions, such as joy, anger, pain, fear, surprise, etc.

Or, how about the famous "Yo-He-Ho Theory"? This one's a classic. It suggests that our language began when man had heavy physical labors to perform and in utterance of his displeasure he would say, "Yo-He-Yo" as he toted a barge, or lifted a bale. Interestingly, this phrase was used in the motion picture *The Wizard of Oz* when all the winged monkeys were marching back to the wicked witch's castle.

And there's the "Sing-Song Theory," which proposes that our speech came from primitive chants and noises we made while dancing around some sort of idol.

But I have my own theory. I call it the "Blah, Blah Theory" and, according to me, our language developed with a kind of "hit-and-miss" attempt to communicate with one another. We would talk and talk, saying whatever came to mind, and if something made sense to the other person, the word would stick. Thus, I call it Barry's "Blah, Blah Theory."

Well, my space has run out so I'll leave you with this challenge: the next time you enter into a conversation with someone, start talking utter nonsense (on purpose, I mean) and see if you don't open up a whole new realm of communication. You'll never know unless you try...

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Century 21 Village Realty and Associates recognized

Century 21 Region V, Inc.'s Chief Operating Officer Larry Ross recognized the office of Century 21 Village Realty, a Sierra Madre-based firm, for placing as the Top Productive Transaction Office for the month of July.

In addition to receiving this incredible honor, several of the company's sales associates were also recognized by the Region's executive staff for their top production as well. Top office sales associate Pretam Fuqua was awarded the 3rd Place Top Commission sales Associate and the 2nd Place Top Transaction Sales Associate awards. Careayre Rambeau, the firm's Rookie of the Year for 1993, was awarded with the 2nd Place Top Investment Sales Associate.

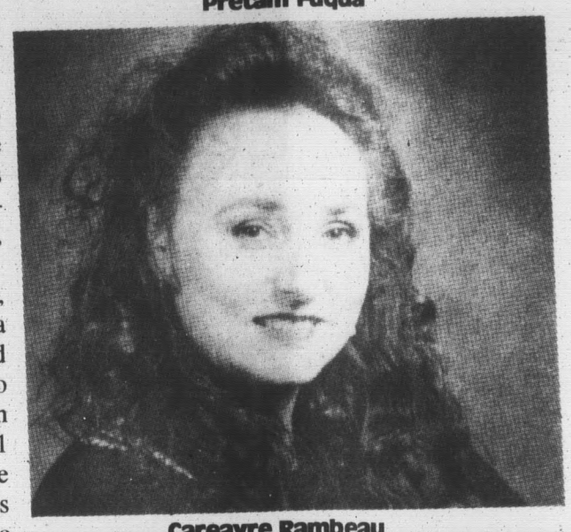
Having received four honors at the Region's Breakfast Sales Rally, Century 21 Village "is one of the driving forces which helps to keep the Century 21 system the world's largest," Ross added. Ross also congratulated Edda Hutson, a top producer at the office for her invitation to the Century 21 Region V Masters Program's four-day cruise to Catalina and Mexico, where she was able to network and relax upon the luxurious Royal Caribbean Cruise Ship.

Hutson was part of a large group of the Region's Master Club members who were able to attend the popular cruise ship. The program was designed to honor consistent top producers, such as Hutson.

Century 21 Village, located at 38 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., is linked by management to Century 21 Ludecke in Arcadia and Century 21 Oak Realty in Temple City. All three offices offer a quality service contract for their clientele and are among the finest real estate offices in the San Gabriel Valley. To reach Century 21 Village Realty's award-winning sales associates, contact the front desk at (818) 355-1451.



Pretam Fuqua



Careayre Rambeau



Edda Hutson

Vatican smallest independent state

The Vatican is the world's smallest independent state, covering only about 1/6 square mile.

Bartlett re-elected association president

Sylvia Bartlett, a longtime realtor with Dorn Realty, will be re-elected as president of the Rancho Santa Anita Property Owners' Association at its upcoming meeting.

She has resided in Arcadia since 1967 and has been associated with Dorn Realty since 1980.

Citing the "maintenance of the beauty, safety and quality of the Upper Rancho" as her goal, Bartlett will serve until 1996.



Sylvia Bartlett

Snail travels with silver trail

Snails travel on "roadways" that they make themselves. A snail produces a sticky liquid on the underside of its flat foot. The rim of its foot skids along on the liquid with a rippling motion. Wave after wave of this motion pushes the snail along.

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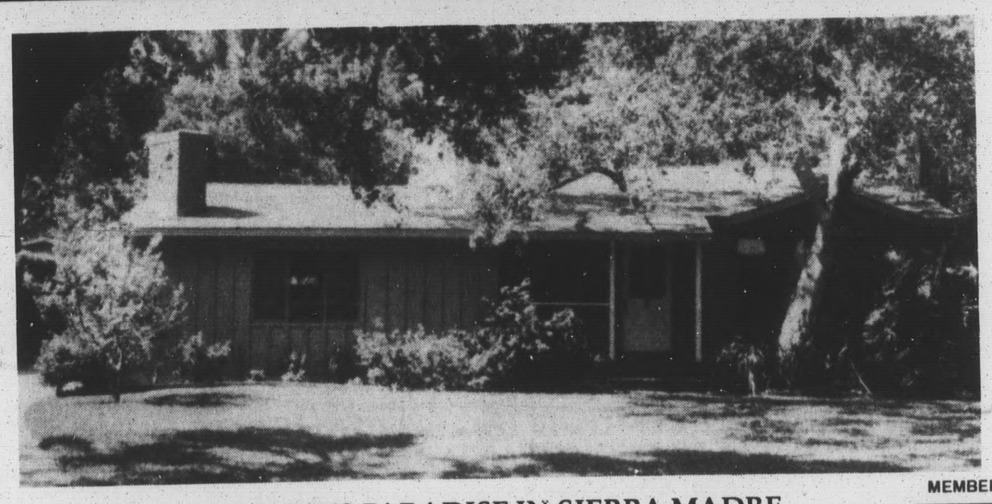
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Garrison is the son of Kay M. Hoveland of Sierra Madre, and Ronald L. Garrison of Sonoma, CA.

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Charles Lummis, L.A. Original

By Phyllis Chapman

Flamboyant Charles Fletcher Lummis (1859-1928), popular author of his day, archaeologist, promoter of causes, was one of the first to recognize Southern California as a special place. He coined the phrase "See America First" and the America he had in mind was right here in the Southland.

The home he built over a 12-year period (1898-1910), located at the end of the Arroyo Seco and named "El Alisal" (Place of the Sycamores), is now a historical site open to the public and headquarters of the Historical Society of Southern California, with the address of 200 E. Avenue 43, L.A.

In his lifetime Lummis was a prolific author, leading founder of the Southwest Museum, a tremendous supporter of our Native Indians and also the first city editor of the *L.A. Times*. He was later an innovative and very capable head of the Los Angeles City Library. Thanks to him, four of our California Missions were saved from crumbling into ruin.

This L.A. original was born March 1, 1859 in Lynn, MA, son of a Methodist minister, who could read Latin, Greek and Hebrew by age 10. He grew up a confirmed Easterner with all the Establishment prejudices but later became a great champion of the Southwest.

At 18, he entered Harvard and helped pay college tuition with his first bestseller, a miniature booklet called "Birch Bark Poems." Lummis composed the poems, printed them on birch bark with a handpress and sold more than 14,000 copies. One was purchased by his college chum and lifelong supporter, Theodore Roosevelt.

Not the best student, Lummis didn't finish his senior year where he said he majored in "Poker, Poetry and Athletics" and left instead for Ohio. He had married young medical student Dorothea Rhodes, who later became the first woman doctor in Los Angeles, and went to Chillicothe to manage her father's farm. That was short-lived. He abandoned the project and became editor-in-chief of a local paper.

In September of 1884, he left the paper and began his famous "A Tramp Across the Continent," walking from Ohio to Los Angeles, so he could really get to know the country. A deal had been made with the *L.A. Times* that he would send weekly letters of his "tramp" for $5 each that were published here in the paper. He walked 3507 miles in 143 days and when he trekked into Los Angeles on February 1, 1885, he was already a celebrity. *Times* publisher Harrison Otis Gray met him at Mission San Gabriel and they walked the last 11 miles together. Lummis was made *Times* city editor the next day.

With tremendous energy and drive he worked on the paper, spent three months in Arizona Territory covering Gen. George Cook's campaign against Geronimo and wrote with admiration and objectivity about both. Long hours of work, with only a few hours of sleep at night, resulted in a stroke before his 29th birthday, paralyzing his left side and arm.

To recuperate, he went to New Mexico, forced himself to walk, ride horseback, and with his one good arm handle a gun, camera, fishing rod and roll his own cigarettes. He boasted of being a lively paralytic.

In 1895, he accepted the challenge of editor of the struggling *Land of Sunshine* (later called *Out West*), transformed it into a popular publication featuring new local artists and writers, giving publicity to the Sequoya League and The Landmarks Club, a pioneer among preservation groups to help rescue the missions from decay, and boasted among its subscribers Roosevelt and John Muir. The August 1897 magazine cover was a beautiful design by Gutzon Borglum, best known as sculptor of Mount Rushmore and once a Sierra Madre resident.

To help raise money to save the missions the "Landmarks Club Cookbook" was printed, to which Lummis contributed 42 recipes on Spanish-American cooking. Founding the Southwest Museum was a realization of his great dream and he chose its spectacular hilltop site (near Ave. 43), turning down Henry Huntington's free offer of a large parcel in another part of Los Angeles. The museum opened in 1914 and houses one of America's greatest collections of Indian artifacts and the Braun Research Library.

"Lum" built El Alisal of native stone, "a house to last a thousand years," and also constructed some of its unusual furniture. The floors are of concrete convenient for his athletic routines and also to be easily hosed out after his children's many parties and for his many parties for his guests. This bohemian married three times and all three marriages ended in divorce but he adored the four children he fathered. His second wife, Eva Douglas, herself a scholar and awarded an honorary doctorate of letters by the University of Arizona, said one of the reasons she divorced her husband was because of the home's concrete floors which Lummis cruelly would not allow her to carpet.

El Alisal now also features an attractive low-maintenance, water-conserving garden that emphasizes native plants. Thanks to funds from the Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy they were able to commission landscape architect Robert Perry, ASLA, for its design.

Our mountains above us, which Lummis said were "handier" than most Eastern ranges to cities, were known for years as Sierra Madre or Mother Mountain, named by the Mission padres. In the late 19-20s, however, the National Dept. of Geographic Names officially designated them the "San Gabriels." Lummis wrote a whole, wonderful piece why this name change was very wrong.

This great crusader died of cancer on Nov. 25, 1928, busy to the end. A few days later a lovely memorial service was held under a great sycamore in his patio.



El Alisal (Place of the Sycamores)



Charles Lummis

DRAFT AGENDA

Sierra Madre City Council
Tues., Oct. 25, 6:30 p.m., council chambers

Warrants.

STAR grant for library.

Public hearing about adoption of park impact fees.

Public hearing of Ord. No. 1111 about increasing number of Planning Commissioners from five to seven.

Public hearing on ordinance regarding leaf blowers.

Status report on General Plan Steering Committee.

Status report on water and appointment of Ad Hoc Committee.

Economic Development Plan.

Appeal of Planning Commission decision of 269 Sturtevant Dr.

Consent calendar.

Community Redevelopment Agency.

Singles meet in West Covina

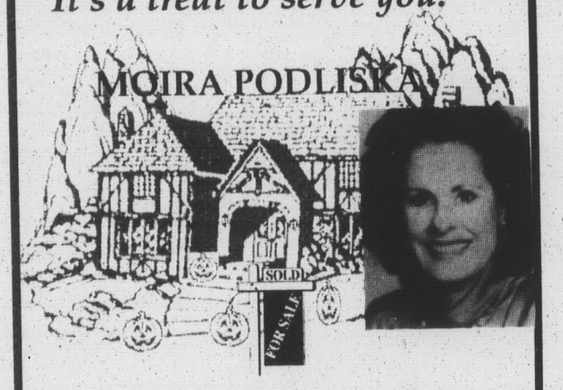
The San Gabriel Valley YWCA Singles will offer "Managing Transitions, Dealing with Change" with Sarah Flynn, M.A., M.F.C.C. Intern on Monday, Nov. 21, at 7 p.m. at 961 S. Glendora Ave. in West Covina.

The fee is $4 for YWCA members or $5 for non-members. Call (818) 960-2995 for more information. Singles Club programs are held every Monday evening except the third of the month at the YWCA.

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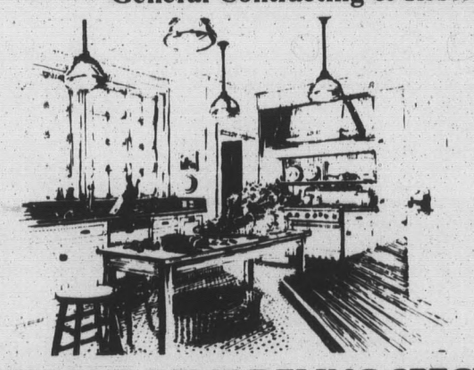




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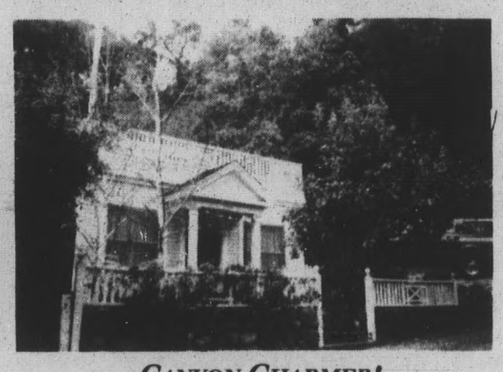
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KICKOFF FOR RED RIBBON WEEK -- Officer Frank Nunes, Cheryl Portillo, principal at Sierra Madre School; Karen Corazzelli, president of the Sierra Madre Chamber of Commerce, Sister Helen Mary from St. Rita's School, and Sgt. Chris Christensen, plan the kickoff of Red Ribbon Week in Sierra Madre during the week of Oct. 23 and 31.

Sierra Madre News Photo

Sierra Madre mounts Red Ribbon campaign

Sierra Madre Sgt. Chris Christensen and the Police Department are spearheading a Red Ribbon Week Oct. 23 through 31 in the local schools. Christensen said he was contacting Sierra Madre School, Gooden School, Bethany School and St. Rita's School to participate in the effort.

"All students will receive a Red Ribbon and we are encouraging all children in those schools to design posters to be placed in downtown merchants' windows. Merchants are also going to wear Red Ribbons during that time," Christensen told *The News*.

He explained that October is set aside for Red Ribbon Week activities since the ribbon symbolizes an anti-drug effort started after the 1985 torture of Enrique Camarena, an agent of the Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA), by drug warlords. Ribbons are worn to show commitment to help create a drug-free America. Not only do supporters wear Red Ribbons but they also wear red flowers. In some areas apples and red candy are distributed. Students spend the week studying about the dangers and effects of drugs, and learning to choose alternatives for healthy, productive lives.

Christensen said that statistics show that student drug use increases after grade 6, "so it's important for educators to teach the dangers of drugs at an early age."

He added that as with any learned behavior, teachers need to use every opportunity to encourage youngsters to practice good health habits as well as resist pressure to use drugs.

The National Family Partnership (NFP) continues to make a very real and positive impact on drug prevention and also supports Red Ribbon week. An effort which began in 1980 has developed into a network of hundreds of organizations and thousands of volunteers from coast to coast. The group is taking Red Ribbon Week one step further by asking everyone to sign the ribbons and send them to local, state or national NFP offices. Those ribbons will be taken to Washington, D.C. for presentation to government leaders.

Chris Hovland opens Honda service Nov. 1

Chris Hovland of Sierra Madre said recently that his goal is "to give the finest quality Honda and Acura repair at a reasonable price."

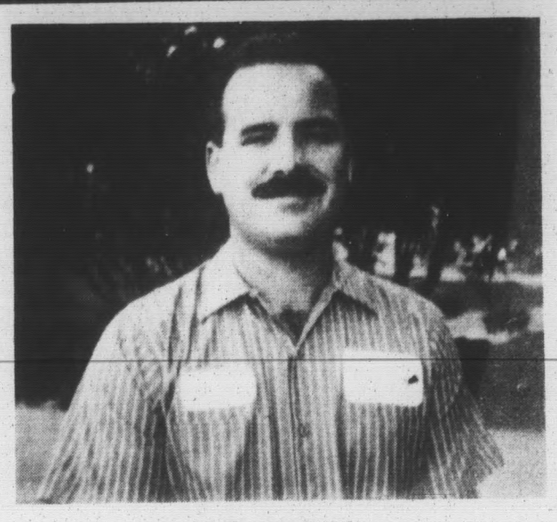
Hovland will open Sierra Madre Independent Honda Service at 54 N. Baldwin Ave., just west of Village Auto, and in the same location as German Auto Repair.

Joe Poth of the former German Auto Repair is moving to La Canada to open a sandwich shop.

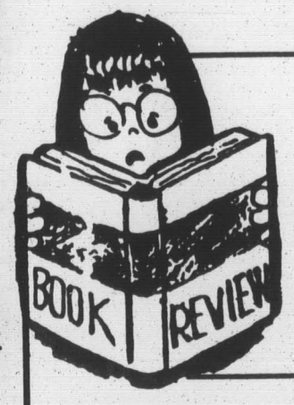
Hovland has been a Honda technician since 1979. He is an A.S.E. Master Technician certified in nine categories.

Hovland is the former shop foreman of Pasadena Honda and is a fully trained Honda Gold Level Tech.

The Sierra Madrean, who will open his new business on Tuesday, Nov. 1, is certified in engine repair, automatic transmission, manual transmission, suspension and steering, brakes, electrical systems, heating and air conditioning, engine performance and advanced engine performance.



Chris Hovland



Jill's Biblio-file

By Jill Adler

How to Restore and Repair Practically Everything
By Lorraine Johnson

How to Restore and Repair Practically Everything by Lorraine Johnson contains a wealth of information for the restoration amateur. Starting off with the ubiquitous tool and supply list that seems mandated for a "How to" book, Johnson swiftly moves on to the meat and potatoes of her subject. She covers--among other items--wood, glass, leather, textiles, upholstery, pottery, porcelain and even paper.

Johnson's book won't guide you through fixing a leaky kitchen faucet--it's not that kind of repair book. But it amply educates the novice on how to bring back life to a lovely piece of furniture, repair a chip in an otherwise flawless china dish or mend a priceless leatherbound book.

Each chapter presents an informative history on its subject. Johnson brings in knowledgeable consultants for areas outside her expertise. She also draws a clear-cut line on when to go to an expert for help, keeping you from getting in over your head. With beautiful color photographs of "before" and "after" shots and clean, clear illustrations, Johnson guides you through the steps to fix that treasure you found at the antique auction.

MOVIE REVIEW
To See, or Not to See
ASHLEIGH KATZ

QUIZ SHOW
Ralph Fiennes, John Turturro, Rob Morrow

SEE! Robert Redford directs this true story of a television game show in the 1950s, and the adverse effects its dishonesty wreaks. Admittedly, the plot sounds trite. But the intelligent and ironic script, plus solidly captivating performances, truly portray the damage that rationalized greed, in any form, has on society. This film and the spoof-flick "Natural Born Killers" represent the alpha and omega of a diseased media.



MAYOR ACCEPTS CHECK -- Mayor MaryAnn MacGillivray accepted a check from Mike Delgatto, former Kiwanis president, at the last City Council meeting. The check, for $2770, represented the new cement pad and planter in the day care area of Sierra Vista Park which Sierra Madre Kiwanians financed for the city.

Sierra Madre News Photo

Plaza's art workshop for kids

Plaza Pasadena's series of free art workshops, the "Artshop for Kids," gives young artists the opportunity to try their hand. Co-sponsored by Pasadena's Armory Center for the Arts, each workshop will be taught by a renowned artist.

The "Artshop for Kids" workshops are held Saturdays from noon to 4 p.m., and are open to children ages 6 and up. Parents and grandparents are welcome to join the fun. The "Artshop" is located on the lower level of Plaza Pasadena, near JC Penney. Upcoming Artshops include: Oct. 15, kids create kaleidoscopes using innovative patterns and materials with the help of artist Manuel Ortega; Oct. 29, Artist Lorraine Cleary will show ghouls and boys how to create scary clay skeletons and other ghoulish figures.

Plaza Pasadena is located on Colorado Boulevard between Los Robles and Marengo Avenues. For more information, please call (818) 795-8891.

Memorial for Edward LaLone

The memorial service for Edward F. LaLone Sr., who died last month, is scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 22, at 11 a.m. The location is the Sierra Madre Congregational Church.

Little monsters to haunt Plaza Pasadena

When it comes to holidays, Pasadena is known for its enthusiastic spirit. Halloween is certainly one of the city's most spirited celebrations. Every year, thousands of ghouls and boys--*girls* and boys, that is--haunt Plaza Pasadena for the coolest and safest Halloween fun in the southland.

This Halloween, Monday, Oct. 31, the goosebumps and giggles begin at 6 p.m. and continue until 8 p.m. at Plaza Pasadena. Everyone, from the shyest skeleton to the most gregarious ghost, can fill up special "goodie bags" as they trick or treat from store to store. But they better watch out--the Plaza will be haunted by some spooky characters who will be making and giving away balloon creatures. Costumed merchants also will be on hand to pass out candy.

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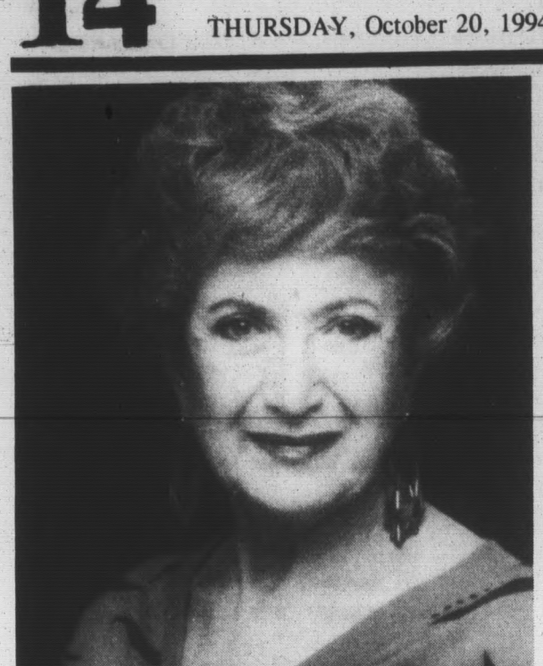
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Ruth Lubin will speak at College Women.

College Women's Club Nov. 1

Ruth Lubin, winner of the 1994 Ms. Senior California Contest, will be the guest speaker at the Nov. 1 luncheon meeting of the College Women's Club of Pasadena to be held at noon at Bullock's Garden Room, 401 S. Lake Ave., Pasadena.

In three minutes' time at the contest, Lubin showed her talents in reciting her own poetry, singing, showing her wood carvings and doing a Balinese dance. She also received a trophy as finalist for the 1994 Ms. Senior American National Competition held in Reno.

She is proud of her 83 years, reminding us that we can change our life at any time. She is currently teaching portrait sketching at Pasadena City College.

For reservations call (818) 797-1701.

Sierra Madrean named La Salle High School Queen

Allie Carsia of Sierra Madre and Chris Shiba of Monrovia were named Homecoming Queen and King at La Salle's Homecoming football game on Saturday, Oct. 15.

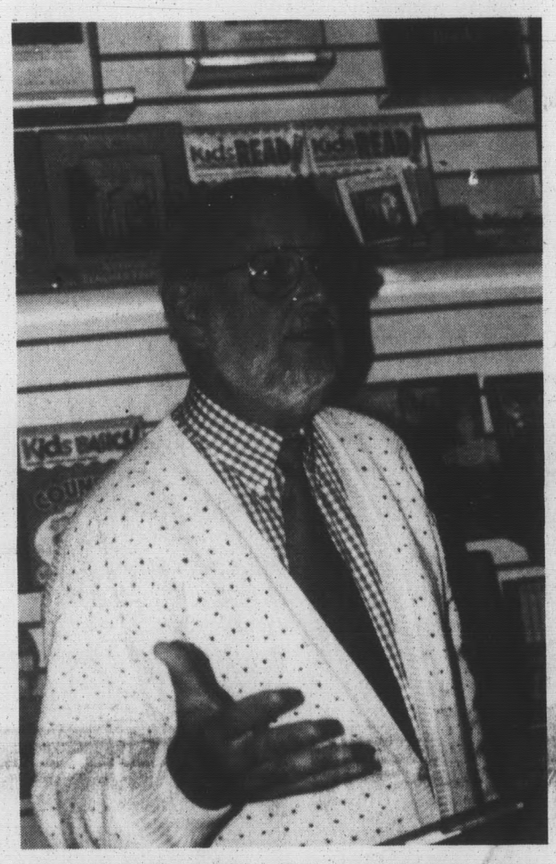
This year's Homecoming theme was "Arabian Nights." The Arabian nights theme was carried out in decorations for the Homecoming dance and for the dress of each of the court members.

The others in the court included: Kelly Large, Nicole Cruz, Michelle Mouton, Marissa Luch, Caleb Porter, Jason Marruffo, Eduardo Payan and Paul De Marco.



MAYOR RECEIVES AWARD -- Mayor MaryAnn MacGillivray of Sierra Madre receives a "thank you" to the council for participating in the Kersting Court Flag Fundraiser recently from Joylouise Harte Smith, co-chair of the committee with Jack Wolfe and Doug Hayes.

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PERRET TO BE GUEST -- Gene Perret, Bob Hope's head writer and three-time Emmy Award winner, talked about his latest book, "Successful Stand-Up Comedy," at Vroman's last Thursday. He is one of the guests at tonight's mixer in Kersting Court, hosted by the Sierra Madre News.

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PRINCESS HOPEFUL -- Danielle Daggerty, daughter of Patricia Daggerty, was one of the young women hoping to be Rose Float Princess on the float for the Tournament Parade Jan. 2, 1995. She and other women sold roses the past weekend and will do the same this weekend.

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Arroyo Women's Health Care offers new fall series

Arroyo Women's Health Care in Pasadena announces its first series of "Good Health" classes, designed to help women enjoy good health and prevent illness. Fall classes, at the Thatcher Medical Building, 960 E. Green Street, Suite #168, include "Quit Smart," a smoking cessation class starting Wednesday, Oct. 19 at 7 p.m.; "Fabulous Forty and Beyond," a guide to help women to understand and feel great with hormone change, starting Tuesday, Oct. 25 at 7 p.m.; "An Evening with the Nutritionist," an opportunity to have an experienced nutritionist answer your questions, on Monday, Nov. 11, at 7 p.m.; "Breast Health," a discussion on reducing the risks of breast disease, on Monday, Nov. 14, at noon; "Earthquake Preparedness--Positive Prescriptions for Your Health," a seminar teaching the newest skills that can save lives, on Tuesday, Nov. 15, at 7 p.m.; and "Relax and Renew," a stress management workshop on Tuesday, Nov. 29, at 7 p.m.

For information and reservations, call (818) 405-9896.

Reservations are necessary due to limited space.

La Salle High announces parent board

La Salle High School announces the 1994-1995 Parent Board. Presidents of this organization will be Adrienne and Michael Harper. Assisting as vice-presidents will be Carl and Jeanette Blum. Carrying out the duties of secretary will be Bill and Pauline Farmer while Allan and Diane Bowen will act as treasurers.

The position of "Dean" is a new board position which was formed to co-ordinate the procedures of ongoing projects within the board. In charge of this position are Jim and Judy Nuccio.

LaSallian parents Bill and Elaine Sanderl will be in charge of service hours. Parent pledges will be kept by Richard and Patti Beaston.

There are three booster organizations at La Salle. Heading the academic boosters will be Richard and Sandi Mewaldt. Athletic Boosters, Donn and Donna Luby, Arts Boosters, Paul and Joan Sutton.

Assuming the responsibility of hospitality will be Mike and Pam Edwards with the help this year of Diane Staggs. In charge of communications this year will be Raymond and Ann Del Muro. The position of public relations will be assumed by Robert and Virginia Mullen and Dennis and Norma Wong.

La Salle's annual family communion breakfast chairpersons will be Joanne Contino and Marie Bayha. This event will be held in February.

Assuming the position of class representatives are Senior Class: Michael and Susan Brady, Bill and Patti Slides, David and Mary Fenimore; Junior Class: Louis and Suzanne Fulps, Anna Morales, Ron and Barbara Sukuma; Sophomore Class: Yolanda Guillory, Tim and Virginia Tuchscherer, John and Leslie Kenan; Freshmen Class: Fred and Carole Weideman, Gerald and Mary Lou Hintz, Thomas and Debbie Sheridan, Robert and Becky Janes.

La Salle's annual Christmas party will be chaired by Ted Stork and Mary Barrie, Rick and Julie Seeker, Robert and Louann Heintz.

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ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Evelyn Glennie in Ambassador debut, Oct.20

Scottish percussion virtuoso, Evelyn Glennie, will perform at Ambassador Auditorium in Pasadena on Thursday evening, Oct. 20, at 8 p.m., the opening concert of Ambassador's 20th anniversary 1994-1995 perennially popular Ambassador Pop series.

Tickets for this performance are priced at $25 (orchestra), $24 (front balcony), and $22 (rear balcony), and are available at the Ambassador Ticket Office, 300 West Green St., Pasadena, or by calling 1-800-CONCERT (1-800-266-2378) or (818) 304-6161.

Tom Stoppard to speak at Caltech

Tom Stoppard will give a lecture entitled, "Playing with Science" on Thursday, Oct. 20, at 8 p.m. in Caltech's Beckman Auditorium. This is the third annual James A. Michelin lecture, which was established through a grant by Bonnie Cashion, to foster interaction between the arts and science.

This lecture is open to the public, free of charge, and no tickets are required. Beckman Auditorium is located on Michigan Avenue south of Del Mar Boulevard in Pasadena. Call (800) 423-8849 or (818) 395-4652 for information. Individuals with a disability should call Deborah White at (818) 395-4688 (Voice) or (818) 395-3700 (TDD) Monday through Friday between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. for information and assistance.

'The Taming of the Shrew' performed at Caltech

Shakespeare's classic battle-of-the-sexes, *The Taming of the Shrew*, will be presented by the California Shakespeare Festival on Friday, Oct. 21, at 8 p.m. in Caltech's Beckman Auditorium.

Tickets to this performance are priced at $25, $22 and $19; youth 18 years and under receive $2 off. Student and senior rush tickets: $8 beginning one-half hour before the performance (subject to availability). Tickets can be purchased at the Caltech Ticket Office, 332 S. Michigan Ave., Pasadena, and are also available at all Ticketmaster Ticket Centers (Ticketmaster: call for tickets at 213/480-3232).

Vienna Choir Boys perform at Caltech

The Vienna Choir Boys will perform in Caltech's Beckman Auditorium on Saturday, Oct. 22, at 8 p.m.

Tickets to this performance are priced at $28, $25, and $22; youth 18 years and under receive $2 off. Student and senior rush tickets: $8 beginning one-half hour before the performance (subject to availability). Tickets can be purchased at the Caltech Ticket Office, 332 S. Michigan Ave., Pasadena, and are also available at all Ticketmaster Ticket Centers (Ticketmaster: call for tickets at 213/480-3232).

Schifrin conducts first Glendale concert

Lalo Schifrin will conduct the opening concert of the 71st continuous season of the Glendale Symphony Orchestra on Saturday, Oct. 22, at 8 p.m. in the beautifully restored Alex Theatre in Glendale.

For tickets and information call the Glendale Symphony office, (818) 500-8720. Ticket prices $50-$40-$28-$12.

Keith Brion and His New Sousa Band launch brass band jubilee

Ambassador Performing Arts will launch its 1994-1995 Brass Band Jubilee series at Ambassador Auditorium in Pasadena with a rousing band concert by Keith Brion and his New Sousa Band in a special family matinee on Sunday afternoon, Oct. 23, at 2 p.m.

Tickets for this performance are priced at $27.50 (orchestra), $26.50 (front balcony), and $24.50 (rear balcony), and are available at the Ambassador Ticket Office, 300 West Green St., Pasadena, or by calling 1-800-CONCERT (1-800-266-2378) or (818) 304-6161.

ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Miami String Quartet in L.A. Debut at Ambassador Oct. 24

Ambassador Performing Arts will open its distinguished Gold Medal 94/95 Chamber Music series with the Los Angeles debut of the acclaimed young string quartet, the Miami String Quartet at Ambassador Auditorium in Pasadena on Monday, Oct. 24, at 8 p.m.

All single tickets for Gold Medal 93/94 concerts are specially priced at $12 and may be purchased in person at the Ambassador Ticket Office, 300 West Green St., Pasadena, or by calling 1-800-CONCERT (1-800-266-2378) or (818) 304-6161. Seniors, teachers and students with proper I.D. may purchase tickets at $6, a 50% discount.

Fernando De La Mora at Ambassador Oct. 26

Ambassador performing Arts opens its star-studded Stars of Opera series with the Los Angeles debut of the critically extolled operatic tenor, Fernando De La Mora, at Ambassador Auditorium in Pasadena on Wednesday, Oct. 26, at 8 p.m.

Tickets for this performance are priced at $27.50 (orchestra), $26.50 (front balcony), and $24.50 (rear balcony), and are available at the Ambassador Ticket Office, 300 West Green St., Pasadena, or by calling 1-800-CONCERT (1-800-266-2378) or (818) 304-6161.

Baroque orchestra Tafelmusik opens Ambassador's Early Music series Oct. 27

Ambassador Performing Arts presents Canada's outstanding 19-member period-performing orchestra, Tafelmusik, in a concert of Baroque music at Ambassador Auditorium in Pasadena on Thursday evening, Oct. 27, at 8 p.m., the opening concert of Ambassador's 1994-1995 Festival of Early Music series.

Ticket holders are invited to attend a pre-concert lecture-demonstration at 6:45 p.m. prior to the performance by members of Tafelmusik, featuring performance practices and playing techniques on Baroque instruments, punctuated with musical illustrations.

Tickets for this performance are priced at $25 (orchestra), $24 (front balcony), and $22 (rear balcony), and are available at the Ambassador Ticket Office, 300 West Green St., Pasadena, or by calling 1-800-CONCERT (1-800-266-2378) or (818) 304-6161.

'Equus' at Occidental

Equus, Peter Shaffer's Tony Award-winning drama about the tortured psyche of a 17-year-old stable boy with an unbridled passion for horses, will be staged Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Oct. 27, 28, and 29, at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, Oct. 30, at 2 p.m. in Occidental College's Keck Theater.

Tickets for the three-play College Mainstage season, which includes *Crimes of the Heart* and *Dancing at Lughnasa*, are $20, with a $5 discount for seniors. Single-play tickets are $8, with a $2 discount for seniors.

For further information, call (213) 259-2922.

'The Great Canadian Train Ride' to screen at Caltech

On Friday, Oct. 28, armchair travelers will have an opportunity to experience a journey personally narrated by Doug Jones, in his travel film, *The Great Canadian Train Ride*. This Armchair Adventures presentation will begin at 8 p.m. in Caltech's Beckman Auditorium.

Tickets to this film are priced at $8 and $6.50. Tickets can be purchased at the Caltech Ticket Office, 332. Michigan Ave., Pasadena, and are also available at all Ticketmaster Ticket Centers (Ticketmaster: call for tickets at 213/480-3232).

Jim Cullum Jazz Band at Ambassador Oct. 30

Ambassador Performing Arts kicks off its new-this-season Sunday afternoon Dixieland series with the rousing jazz septet, the Jim Cullum Jazz Band, at Ambassador Auditorium in Pasadena on Sunday, Oct. 30, at 2 p.m.

Tickets for this performance are priced at $22, $21, and $19, and are available at the Ambassador Ticket Office, 300 W. Green St., Pasadena, or by calling 1-800-CONCERT (1-800-266-2378) or (818) 304-6161.

On Stage

By Mary Cogswell Baum

The current production at the Sierra Madre Playhouse is the 1927 Broadway dramatization of Bram Stoker's 1897 novel, *Dracula*. There is no question but that the horror tale of an ancient nobleman who lives for centuries by sucking the blood of the living is best told by the original author. Books have the advantage of being able to create any world they choose out of ink on paper and the imagination of the reader.

And yet there is always that urge to stage it, to show the characters and be specific about the action. Theatre people love to play famous heroes and villains.

The problem is to persuade the audience to suspend their disbelief and get caught up in the gradual revelation that the characters experience so that the desired effect of terror and suspense will give the audience the thrill they came for.

How do you do this? How do you find suspense in so familiar a story?

You get good actors, for one thing. Director Bill Martyn has assembled an experienced and willing group, most of whom have appeared at SMP before. Especially convincing is A.J. Russell, a substantial and authoritative Dr. Van Helsing; Thom Sanford as the puzzled Dr. Siward; and Ed Thomas, who brings a wistful subtlety to the mad Mr. Renfield. Gesele McGinis manages to shift between wispy and aggressive as Dracula's victim and Jonathon Chaus is her properly concerned fiance. Count Dracula should, of course, be a compellingly hypnotic figure. Ray Hammond has the height for it, swings his cape with fervor and will do. Gino Vianelli and Jennifer Murphy handle small roles well.

Taking the melodrama seriously without provoking laughter is the main task and building the appropriate atmosphere is vital. The actors achieve this valiantly through the first act and well into the second--and then comes a problem.

Technical director Marcus DeLuca has attempted a realistic set, although a remarkably barren one, and the reason soon appears. There are two changes of scene in the second act and, as designed, they take a lot of intricate, panel-by-panel adjustment to achieve. Even efficiently done, they take too long. And when the group of stage hands come marching out of the woodwork onto a well-lit (for obvious reasons) stage, it is at first confusing, and then humorous to watch them--and all that carefully built atmosphere evaporates.

The story pulls itself together and continues. The heroic group finds a solution to their problem and, with anxiety and horror, set out to deal with the gruesome Count in his burial vault.

Then here comes the crew again, laboriously reconstructing the walls, removing the furniture and so on, until they achieve "burial vault" and the lights go down.

I hate to be critical. Community theatres, lacking the physical set-up and resources of the professionals, have a problem with sets, but some do wonders and less disruptive solutions should be found.

On the other hand, De Luca's lighting is a great help and the special effects work well. The music is more overbearing than eerie.

See *Dracula* willing to appreciate what you like (there's quite a lot) and ignore the rest. *Dracula* plays Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. through Nov. 19, and 2:30 p.m. on Oct. 22, 23, 29, 30, Nov. 5, 6, 12, 13, and 19, with extra performances on Monday, Oct. 31, and Thursday, Nov. 3. Call 355-4318 for more information.

The production of *A Chorus Line* at the Covina Valley Playhouse is startlingly good when you consider that the story concerns highly trained professionals and that CVP casts are all volunteers. It's true that dance experiences are in many ways universal. Young people still mount "steep and narrow stairways to the voice like a metronome," as well as experience the anxieties of adolescence and the traumas of self-acceptance. Those who are willing to submerge their own personalities to achieve a group goal deserve to be celebrated as individuals. It's no wonder that *A Chorus Line* has been the longest running musical on Broadway. As done by an amateur group, it also celebrates the persistence and dedication of those wh strive for a place in the precarious world of entertainment.

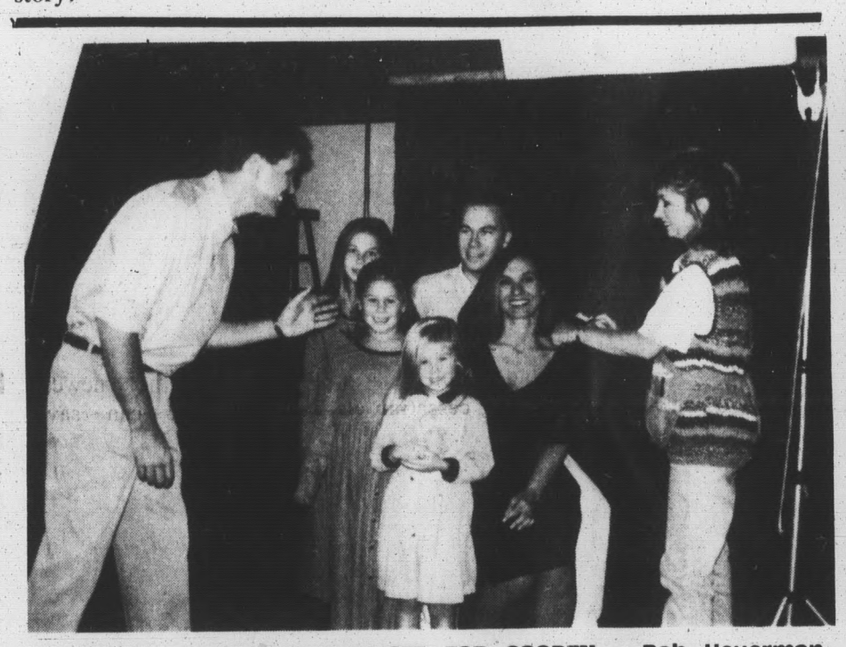
Director Louis A. Velazquez and choreographer Angelo Collado head a company of 23 performers and 40 crew members and achieve a polished production.

The script is remarkable, providing star turns and ensemble pieces of gratifying honesty and imagination. Dorman Smith as Zach, the director, Joanne Taylor as sophisticated Sheila, Lisa Kakassy as realistic Diana, Lori Halapoff as sassy Val, are only a few of the standouts in an excellent company.

The lyrics and monologues that tell the various stories are so well delivered that it is a shame that they are drowned out on occasion by the small live band.

A Chorus Line performs on Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. through Nov. 19, and at 2 p.m. on Oct. 23 and 30 and Nov. 6 and 13.

The Covina Valley Playhouse is at 104 N. Citrus in Covina, just 20 minutes from Sierra Madre. Call 339-5135 for more information.



HEUERMANS PROVIDE FUNDRAISER FOR GOODEN -- Bob Heuerman, photographer, and his wife, Stephanie, spent most of the weekend over Oct. 8 and 9 at Gooden School where they provided photographs to school families as a "family portrait fundraiser" for the school. Carolyn Simon as stylist assisted with makeup and hair arrangement. Shown are Weston and Sophie Munselle and their children: Ashley, fourth grader; Amanda, second grader; and Alexandra, kindergarten, all of Sierra Madre. The Heuermans have a daughter, Emily Anne, at Gooden.

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COURT OF HONOR -- Cub Scout Pack 110 of St. Rita's Church in Sierra Madre held their annual Court of Honor Bridging Ceremony on Sept. 26. Cubmaster Terry Hall conducted the ceremony, as Cub Scouts John Metcalfe, Danny Simpson, and Daniel Yao bridged over to Boy Scouts. Scoutmaster Ed Stanislawski was there to receive the young men into Troop 110, also of St. Rita's Church.

Sommer joins Baker and Hostetler

John R. Sommer of Sierra Madre has recently joined the firm of Baker and Hostetler as counsel resident in the Los Angeles office. The firm has seven other branches around the United States.

Sommer, who earned his JD degree from the UCLA School of Law, brings over a decade of experience in "intellectual property protection and related litigation." His specialty is in trademark and copyright enforcement against counterfeiters.

The Sierra Madrean was with Baker and McKenzie before joining Baker and Hostetler.

He is president of the Federal Bar Association, Los Angeles Chapter, and a member of the Federal Bar Association's National Council. He has been admitted to the U.S. Supreme Court, the California Supreme Court, the District of Columbia Court of Appeals and several federal district courts and courts of appeal.

Sommer took an active part in the creation of the Western Anti-counterfeiting Coalition, a trade group consisting of trademark owners including most major film studios, clothing manufacturers and universities. He has also been involved in organizing a Mexico Task Force comprised of U.S. and international trademark owners.

Sommer has a long list of legal issues related to intellectual property, legal procedures, the North American Free Trade Agreement on which he has both written and spoken. He is editor of "The Manual of Central District of California Judges' Rules and General Orders," a guide to practice in the Los Angeles Federal Court.

The Sierra Madrean took his undergraduate degree from Indiana University.

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Poets may enter one poem only, 20 lines or less, on any subject, in any style. Contest closes Nov. 30, but poets are encouraged to send their work as soon as possible. Poems entered in the contest also will be considered for publication in the Summer 1995 edition of "Poetic Voices of America," a hardcover anthology to be published in June, 1995. Anthology purchase may be required to ensure publication, but is not required to enter or win the contest. Prize winners will be notified by January 31, 1995.

"Our contest is especially for new and unpublished poets and offers a public forum that enables them to share their work," says Jerome P. Welch, Publisher. "We look for originality of ideas and poetry of all styles and themes. Many of our contest winners are new poets with new ideas."

Poems should be sent to Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum, Inc., Dept. LT, 203 Diamond St., Sistersville, WV 26175.

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Obituaries

Wilma L. Godfrey

Funeral Mass was held Friday at St.Rita's Church in Sierra Madre for Wilma L. Godfrey who died Oct. 11. She had been a resident of Sierra Madre for 39 yers.

Committal for Mrs. Godfrey was in Sierra Madre Cemetery.

Survivors include her sons: Robert, Donald and Gerald Godfrey; a daughter, Patricia Woller; a sister, Orpha Waite; 18 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren.

Margaret MacAulay

Private memorial rites are planned for Margaret Emma Acker MacAulay, 91, who died Oct. 12 at the Sierra Madre home of her daughter, Catherine Heflin, where she had lived since 1967.

Mrs. MacAulay, who was known affectionately as Mrs. Mac or Marge, was born May 28, 1903, in Spokane, Wash. She was a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania.

She moved to Sierra Madre in 1945. After the death of her husband, McDougal MacAulay, in 1952, she worked at Arnold's Hardward unil 1967.

Mrs. MacAulay was integral in raising the Heflin children: Maggie, who came from Moscow following her grandmother's death; Charlie who came from London; Lizzie who came from New York, where she is attending Columbia University. Michael Jr. lives in Sierra Madre. He is a partner in his father's brokerage firm, Cantor Fitzgerald, and Charlie is a salesman. Also surviving Mrs. MacAulay is a great-granddaughter, Anna Elizabeth Heflin, daughter of Michael Jr. and his wife, Catherine.

Alice O'Grady

Requiem Mass was to be held Wednesday, Oct. 19, at 10 a.m. at St. Rita's Church in Sierra Madre for Samantha Alice Kennedy O'Grady, who died Oct. 16 at the age of 98.

Alice, as she was known in Sierra Madre, and her husband, John Edward O'Grady, served in the United States Expeditionary Forces in the U.S. Army in France during World War I. She was a United States Army nurse. In 1928, after the war and their marriage, they settled in Sierra Madre. She continued to live in the same house following her husband's death in 1970.

During her long life, besides her family, Mrs. O'Grady loved her animals and gardening, always sharing her abundant produce and flowers. Since she was surrounded by flowers in life the family requests no flowers at this time.

Survivors include three children: Julia Kennedy Pollard, Pasadena; John Edward O'Grady Jr., Altadena; Thomas Daniel O'Grady of Mt. Ida, Ark.; and 10 grandchildren. Also surviving are 13 great-grandchidren and one great-great-granddaughter.

Those who wish to remember Mrs. O'Grady should consider giving a donation to the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Post 3280 in Sierra Madre where she was a member, or the Pasadena Humane Society.

Bald eagle is not bald

The bald eagle is not really bald--it only looks so because its head is covered with white feathers.

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First saint was Rose of Lima

The first saint born in the Western hemisphere was Saint Rose of Lima, a Peruvian canonized in 1671.

Public Forum

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then asked if this was during the time Mr. McRea was our City Administrator, and was answered yes. I then asked if Mr. McRea's recent departure from service was in any way connected with the mismanagement which resulted in the current debt problem (I do consider the need to suddenly raise base water rates by 70% and to have to institute special assessments to pay off a 2-5 year old debt of $1.3 million to be mismanagement). Mr. Joyce responded that he would not presume to speak to the motives of the City Council in the matter of Mr. McRea's departure. I asked if the current water department debt problem was in any way part of the concerns raised in 1993 by Steve Broiles and his committee of concerned citizens. Mayor MacGillivray stated that the outside audit of Sierra Madre's finances which did document the problem regarding the "financing" of the capital improvements for the water system was only "coincidental" to the issues raised by Mr. Broiles and the committee.

Councilman Gary Adams then contradicted the Mayor by stating that, indeed, the current water debt problem had come to light due, in part, to the efforts of Mr. Broiles and the committee. I then made the comment that, given the treatment that Mr. Broiles and the committee had received in 1993 when they raised their concerns about the state of the city's finances, perhaps the City Council owed Mr. Broiles and the members of the committee and apology and a much belated thank you. I stated that, as a citizen, homeowner, and a taxpayer, Mr. Broiles and the members of the committee had my thanks. My suggestion was met with silence, and then Mayor MacGillivray stated that if I was done, the Council thanked me for my comments.

Now, I did not attend the City Council meetings when Mr. Broiles and the committee were raising their concerns about the city's finances. Further, I don't know Mr. Broiles nor any members of the committee. However, I did follow closely the reports in the *Sierra Madre News* of the City Council's reaction at the time. I seem to remember that Mr. Broiles and company were subject to the contempt and condescension so expertly practiced by certain members of our City Council and their allies.

And Mr. Broiles and company suffered this treatment while exercising their rights as concerned citizens of an open, democratic society. AND THEY WERE RIGHT! THERE *WAS* SOMETHING WRONG WITH OUR CITY'S FINANCES! Else, why are we now being asked to pony up the $1.3 million? Why was the previous City Administrator "removed" from office? Why was he given a $57,000 severance package? And why was he given a going away party by his allies on our City Council?

One final issue: in describing the administrative costs allocated to the water department, Mr. Joyce stated that 30% of the city Finance Director's time (and salary) and 40% of the time and salary for a staff accountant are devoted to the Water Department. That being the case, it would seem that Mr. Joyce, in his previous role on the city's financial staff, should have been aware of the shoddy accounting and mismanagement that was occurring when the capital improvements were being performed on our water system in 1989-92. Perhaps Mr. Joyce would care to enlighten the taxpayers of Sierra Madre on this issue.

Respectfully,
Patrick J. Conroy

Singles to meet in West Covina, Dec. 5

The San Gabriel Valley YWCA Singles will offer "Intimacy, Love, and Creative Dating" with Rick Fraser, M.A., M.F.C.C. on Monday, Dec. 5, at 7 p.m. at 961 S. Glendora Ave. in West Covina. The group will look at the three aspects of love: intimacy, commitment, and passion. They will be incorporated into a dating model that allows people to establish intimate and close relationships without the fear of abandonment and loss. The speaker has a Masters in Marriage and Family Therapy and a Masters in Divinity from Fuller Theological Seminary.

The fee is $4 for YWCA members or $5 for non-members. Call (818) 960-2995 for more information.

Wind points in new direction for Madrean

Ed Hamm is weathering a slowdown in his health-care work by turning to a new interest in an old-time craft.

The Sierra Madre artisan's rustic weather vanes are popping up on rooftops all around town--featuring the traditional rooster or images of cats, dogs, pigs, cows and other barnyard critters.

Hamm, 44, also fashions designs, usually in black-painted steel, for popular outdoor hobbies, including fly-fishing.

"It took a while to figure the aerodynamics, to get the right balance so it pivots on the pedestal to show which way the wind is coming," he said.

Hamm was among hundreds of exhibitors at the third annual Pasadena Harvest Festival, which ran through Oct. 2.

Legals

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The following person is doing business as SPECIAL MARK PRODUCTIONS, 1938 Graydon Ave., Monrovia, CA 91016.

William H. Martyn, 1938 Graydon Ave., Monrovia, CA 91016.

The business was conducted by an individual.

The registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed herein.

Signed: William H. Martyn

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The following person is doing business as THE GOLD CLUB, JEWELRY CLUB, DRAGA COMMUNICATIONS, C/O The Postmaster, 2245 E. Colorado Blvd., Pasadena, CA 91107

Diran A. Afarian, 2135 E. Brigden Rd., Pasadena, CA 91107.

The business was conducted by an individual.

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Signed: Diran Afarian

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The following person is doing business as VEND-IT, 200 S. First Ave., Arcadia, CA 91006

Eleanor M. Jones, 1222 "B" S. Barranca, Glendora, CA 91740.

The business was conducted by an individual.

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Signed: Eleanor M. Jones

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The following persons are doing business as PHEONIX INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATES, 411 E. Walnut, Monrovia, CA 91016.

Michael R. Coppieters, 411 E. Walnut, Monrovia, CA 91016 and Maritta J. Coppieters, 411 E. Walnut, Monrovia, CA 91016.

The business is conducted by a husband and wife.

The registrants commenced to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed above on: July 1, 1994.

Signed: Michael Coppieters

Signed: Maritta Coppieters

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The following person is doing business as GERALD'S HOTBODY JEWELS, 1825 Encino Ave. #A, Monrovia, CA 91016.

Gerald Louis Sandeval, 1825 Encino Ave. #A, Monrovia, CA 91016.

The business is conducted by an individual.

The registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed herein.

Signed: Gerald L. Sandoval

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles on October 7, 1994.

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The following person is doing business as CE CE MARKETING, 1996 Maiden Lane, Altadena, CA 91001.

Cecilia A. Alfed, 1996 Maiden Lane, Altadena, CA 91001.

The business was conducted by an individual.

The registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed herein.

Signed: Cecilia A. Alfed

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The following persons are doing business as CROCKETT SPORTS, PLAY IT AGAIN SPORTS, 32 West Carter, Sierra Madre, CA 91024

Fredrick L. Crockett, 32 W. Carter, Sierra Madre, CA 91024 and Cathy D. Crockett, 32 W. Carter, Sierra Madre, CA 91024.

The business is conducted by a husband and wife.

The registrants commenced to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed above on: August 10, 1994.

Signed: Fredrick L. Crockett

Signed: Cathy D. Crockett

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles on September 19, 1994.

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The following person is doing business as STRICTLY GOLD, 1630 S. Barranca #51, Glendora, CA 91740.

Donald Burton, 1630 S. Barranca #51, Glendora, CA 91740.

The business was conducted by an individual.

The registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed herein.

Signed: Donald Burton

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles on September 30, 1994.

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The following person is doing business as DESIGNS BY KATHRYN, 440 N. Sedman Place, Monrovia, CA 91016.

Kathryn Frances Smith, 440 N. Sedman Place, Monrovia, CA 91016.

The business was conducted by an individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed above on: August 25, 1994.

Signed: Kathryn F. Smith

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles on September 13, 1994.

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The following person is doing business as ALBERTS CLEANERS AND TUXEDO RENTAL, 303 E. Foothill Blvd., Azusa, CA 91702.

Nancy Josefina Guerrero, 2657 Calle Martos, Duarte, CA 91010.

The business is conducted by an individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed above on September 1, 1994.

Signed: Nancy Josefina Guerrero

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The following persons are doing business as MOTOR HEAD BANGERS, 6 N. First Ave. #108, Arcadia, CA 91006.

Michael T. Fiore, 318 Parkrose Ave., Monrovia, CA 91016 and Joseph Dudek, 342 W. Olive #A, Monrovia, CA 91016.

The business was conducted by an general partnership.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed above on: September 20, 1994.

Signed: Michael Fiore

Signed: Joseph Dudek

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The following persons are doing business as THE BEST OF EVERYTHING, 1107 Fair Oaks Ave., So. Pasadena, CA 91030.

Gena M. Reno, 1107 Fair Oaks Ave., So. Pasadena, Ca 91030 and Gudrun Hancock, 1250 N. Doheny Dr., Los Angeles, CA 90069.

The business is conducted by co-partners.

The registrants commenced to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed above on: August 21, 1994.

Signed: Gena M. Reno

Signed: Gudrun Hancock

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles on September 13, 1994.

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The business is conducted by a husband and wife.

The registrants commenced to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed above on: July 1, 1994.

Signed: Michael Coppieters

Signed: Maritta Coppieters

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Religion & Community

Faith Lutheran

By Pastor Dann J. Ettner

A minister was driving through the country when suddenly his motor stopped. He got out of the car and raised the hood. All at once a voice behind him said, "The trouble is in the carburetor."

Quickly he turned around in surprise, but saw only an old horse standing on the other side of the fence watching him. Hardly daring to believe his ears, he asked, "Did you say something?"

"Yes, I said you'd better check the carburetor," replied the horse.

Rushing down the road to the nearest farmhouse, the minister excitedly related his experience to the old farmer who answered the door.

"Was it an old bay horse with one flop ear?" asked the farmer.

"Yes, yes, that's the one!"

"Well, don't pay any attention to him," the farmer scoffed. "He don't know anything about automobiles anyway."

I wanted to share this story with you because it illustrates a good point. Sometimes people miss the real intent of a message. When that minister ran to tell this "good news" about how a horse could talk the farmer did not recognize the news. How often do we misunderstand good news because of the messenger? We might miss out on the Good News a church has to offer because we feel they are only going to ask for money. Or maybe we don't want to go because the pews are too hard or we don't like the pastor.

These things are only secondary to what God really has in mind as He calls us to join other Christians in worship. The Good News is that Jesus is our Savior. He has saved us from our sins by dying on the cross. It is good news so incredible that some Christians can hardly wait to tell others about it.

We think this news is incredible as well. We invite you to come hear more about Jesus at Faith Lutheran Church. We are located at Sierra Madre Blvd. and Hastings Ranch Drive. Our Sunday morning service is at 10:30.

Bethany

By Al Elby

We live in an age when most people are conscious of their physical fitness or lack thereof. Barney was pointing out to us a program of physical fitness for the family, the Body of Christ, the church. The church recognizes that people must work their way through the church and get into shape for assimilation and service. Like anything else this just doesn't happen, but has to be worked at and upon. It usually happens in stages and the church must facilitate this coming to pass and allowing it to happen.

The first stage is one of investigation and inspection. At this level people are inquisitive and interested and the church must see that they are introduced and invited into the Body. People at this stage are cautious to respond and prefer anonymity because until they know more there is a low level of trust. Usually what keeps them coming is that they are need-driven. Stage two is one of involvement in the church. They have begun the incorporation process and are being influenced and instructed by their attendance. There is less anonymity and more visibility and involvement. They are moving from being just responsive to being responsible. They are taking part in ownership and becoming a functional part of the Body. The third, and last, stage is investing their life in the church. They are becoming a F.I.T. member of the church. They display Faithfulness by Investing their time, talent and treasure and this in turn Transforms their lives. This is what Pastor calls a FIT member of the church. A FIT church raises up mature disciples of Christ. FIT disciple are obedient to God and have an understanding of the calling of the church, its message and purpose. We at Bethany feel that we are a FIT church and invite you to check us out. Come this Sunday and start at Stage One and hopefully we will see you at Stage Three before long.

St. Rita's

What Would You Have Me Do?

We all make mistakes. What we ought to do is profit by them. How am I to find out what God wants me to do? St. Paul said: "Lord, what would you have me do?" If we say this from our hearts our Lord never refuses an answer. Some people never do ask it. Others don't ask with perfect sincerity. They are not determined to do whatever He should ask them. We need never be afraid. If we really want to please God we shall do so. St. Thomas Aquinas, on being asked the shortest way to love God, said: "To want to love Him."

We cannot all be intimate with the aristocracy. Many of us seem to feel that those laws which hold good in social life apply also to the spiritual life. That there are only a certain select few who are really called up to love God, to become intimate with our Lord. That for the ordinary mortal such an idea is pure presumption. We look up to loving God as we would look up to Mont Blanc. The eternal snows bathed in sunshine, radiant, stupendous, magnificent, but inaccessible and unapproachable. And God is every hour trying to draw us nearer to Him, and we are trying to draw back. "Lord, what would You have me do?" First, be satisfied with our lot in life. Not to want to be richer, cleverer, prettier, more handsome. And, secondly, about our spiritual state? We ought to be eager to get on: but even this we should leave in His hands. If God does not want us to go forward more quickly than we are, let us not wish to do so. He does not wish us to become saints in a day. He wishes virtue to grow. Acting up to grace means doing the easy things that come our way, doing them well and doing them humbly because they are His Will. There is only one person who can teach us to love God. Himself. *(adapted from the words of Rev. Daniel Considine)*

Good Shepherd

Dr. Terry Towner, superintendent of Arcadia Unified School District, will speak on public education as it relates to the current Adult Forum series, "The Religious Right--Their Agenda and Ours," at Church of the Good Shepherd in Arcadia. The forum will meet at 9 a.m., Sunday, Oct. 23.

Worship services will be at 8 and 10 a.m. with senior pastor Dr. James W. Dallas preaching. The Rev. James K. Thomann, assistant pastor, will lead the study of the Gospel of John in the "Scripture in Focus" class at 9 a.m.

Children may take part in the "Discovery Hour" at 9 a.m., and Church School at 10 a.m. Child care is available all three hours.

Good Shepherd's youth meet at 10 a.m. and at 6:30 p.m. Sundays for study, worship and group activities.

The Chinese congregation worships in Hildebrand Chapel at 11:15 a.m., with the Rev. Matthew Chong officiating at the Mandarin Chinese service.

Women's retreat

"Women At The Well," an annual fall retreat for about three dozen women of all ages, will be held this weekend, Oct. 21-23, at Aldersgate Lodge in Pacific Palisades. "Our Mothers' Water" is the retreat theme, with the Rev. Yvonne Boyd, pastor of the Altadena United Methodist Church, leading.

Church of the Good Shepherd is at 400 W. Duarte Road, Arcadia. Phone the church office at (818) 447-2181 weekdays between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. for information.

Singles to meet Nov. 14

The San Gabriel Valley YWCA Singles will offer "Metaphysical Healing" with Ed Kaufman, Certified Reflexologist, on Monday, Nov. 14, at 7 p.m. at 961 S. Glendora Ave. in West Covina.

The fee is $4 for YWCA members or $5 for non-members. Call (818) 960-2995 for more information.

Gloria Dei Lutheran

"Preach the Word; be prepared in season and out of season; correct, rebuke and encourage--with great patience and careful instruction. For the time will come when men will not put up with sound doctrine. Instead, to suit their own desires, they will gather around them a great number of teachers to say what their itching ears want to hear. They will turn their ears away from the truth and turn aside to myths." (2 Timothy 4:2-4)

Historians, viewing the world in its entirety, note that when a nation abandoned God, destruction soon followed. We are close to making that very mistake in America today as the secular humanists attempt to remove God from every vestige of our public lives.

As a people we spend billions of dollars on self-esteem therapy and to gurus of self-fulfillment, self-motivation, and self-realization. Then, without Christ at the center of our lives, it becomes ever easier to slide into sin because, we are told, "we are worth it."

Our own government, as well as many of the 'liberal' mainstream church denominations, condone and legalize activities that are contrary to the laws of God--the killing of millions of unborn children in the name of "choice"; the acceptance of moral perversion and deprivation as "normal"; and even the rewriting of God's own Holy Scriptures to "support" these sinful desires.

There is one eternal Triune God and one Lord and Savior. There is one Holy Scripture that is true in its entirety for all time. There is only one way to salvation--through Jesus Christ who died in our place as an acceptable sacrifice for our sins.

We invite you to join us as the Good News of the full gospel of Jesus Christ is preached and taught each Sunday at 11 a.m. worship service. Adult Bible Study is held every Thursday morning at 10:30 a.m. Gloria Dei Lutheran Church is located at 186 W. Highland Ave. in Sierra Madre.

Congregational

By Richard J. Anderson, Pastor

Sierra Madre Congregational Church meets Saturdays at 6:30 p.m. and Sundays at 8, 9:30 and 11 a.m.

This week we begin a new adventure in the Bible...the book of Acts. we have just completed the Gospel according to Luke. After completing his Gospel account of the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, Luke went on to write an account of the early church as it began in Jerusalem; the book of Acts. Acts has been called "The Acts of the Apostles" since the second century A.D. but that is not strictly the case. Humanly speaking, this book is more accurately the acts of two of the prominent leaders in the first century church: Peter and Paul. One could also make a strong case for entitling this book "The Acts of the Holy Spirit."

To me, the most exciting thing about this book is the inference in the first verse. Luke is writing to Theophilus, who was probably, a Gentile convert ot Christianity. He seems to be writing to assure Theophilus of the historical certainty of the events of the early church. In his introductory verse, Luke implies that the Gospel of Luke is only the beginning of what Jesus began to do and to teach. The implication is that Jesus started something that He would continue through a "new body," a human body of disciples known as Christians. This is amazing! God is including us in what He started to do in Christ, and He will complete it through His church.

Sierra Madre United Methodist

By Pastor Rich LaShure

Right now we're in the middle of a new kind of stewardship campaign in our church. You may have encountered an old style stewardship campaign, where the pastor and a small group of unwilling church members go out and risk life and limb in order to secure pledges in support of the church budget. Let's call this the Dunning Campaign.

Our approach is called Consecration Sunday. It assumes a couple of things about the people who call themselves Christians: first, that their need to give is greater than the church's need to receive; and second, that they are willing to let themselves be treated as guests at a nice luncheon.

I know a nice couple, newly-married, whose combined annual income is somewhere north of $125,000. They are groaning under the weight of a 35% income tax bite, can't seem to save a penny, and their cars aren't even that new. Yet a little quick math reveals that their after-tax income is still something like 85 kilobucks. Most people would be willing to take a squeeze like that! But here's the point: they give virtually zero. If I were to suggest that the best way for them to get a handle on their finances would be to give away another ten percent, say 13 kilobucks, they would only laugh at me. That would be impossible! But such a lifestyle adjustment would be good for them; in the process of giving up some of their yuppie affluence, they just might gain their souls.

This Sunday we'll be looking at the famous teaching of Jesus on paying taxes to Caesar in our sermon time. Join us for worship--find God, find yourself, and find a friend!

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400 W. Duarte Rd., Arcadia – 447-2181
Dr. James W. Dallas, Senior Pastor
Sunday Workship 8:00 & 10:00 a.m.
Children's Church School 10 a.m.
Youth Bible Study 10 a.m.
Education Hour, All Ages 9:00 a.m.
Child Care All Hours
Mandarin Worship 11:15 a.m.

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695 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.
Sierra Madre
355-0629
Sun. 9:30 a.m. -- Worship Service & Church School
Wed. 7:15 p.m. --Youth Ministry
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ATTEND OPENING OF SYMPHONY -- Gary and Barb Kovacic and Marvin and Marti Schultz, all of Arcadia, attended the opening night of Pasadena Symphony Oct. 15. Marvin Schultz is president of the Symphony this year.



ENJOY OPENING OF PASADENA SYMPHONY -- Dennis and Shelly Lowe and Wayne and Cindy Shilkret of Pasadena were present for the opening of the season for Pasadena Symphony, which included dinner and the concert. Lowe was chairman for the evening and Shilkret is symphony director.



GALA DINNER BEFORE SYMPHONY -- Chris Piper of Northridge, Jean and Ann Horton of Arcadia, Symphony Chairman Marvin Schultz and his wife, Marti, and Gary and Barb Kovacic of Arcadia sat together at the gala dinner before the opening of the Pasadena Symphony on Saturday evening in Pasadena.



LOCAL WOMEN AT SYMPHONY -- Margaret Benedict and Mary Tumilty traveled from Sierra Madre for the opening of the Symphony, as they have done for many years.

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Pasadena Junior Philharmonic Committee announces new provisional members

Twenty provisional members of the Pasadena Junior Philharmonic Committee include Sierra Madre resident Cassie Harpel.

Recently introduced to the active members at a general meeting held in the Founders Room of the Dorothy Chandler Pavilion, the new members are looking forward to an exciting and rewarding year.

Suzanne Sposato, provisional chair, stated that the provisional members are particularly excited about the opportunity to lend their support to the numerous community programs sponsored by the committee which begin in the fall.

These programs include the Music Mobile education program, the Youth Concert performed by the Los Angeles Philharmonic for San Gabriel fourth graders, the Instrumental Competition which presents monetary awards to outstanding music students and the Community Music Grants program which awards monetary grants to local organizations.

Betty Rossiter, president, says, "It is a pleasure to welcome this exceptional group of new members to the Pasadena Junior Philharmonic Committee. The many hours of dedicated service that our members donate with their time and energy throughout the year is rewarded by the support we receive from the community for our music education programs."

With the 1995 Showcase House of Design scheduled to open in the spring, the provisionals will soon join forces with the Benefit Committee to sponsor this exciting event which includes more hard work combined with all the fun and memorable activities encompassing the magical transformation of the 31st Annual Showcase House.

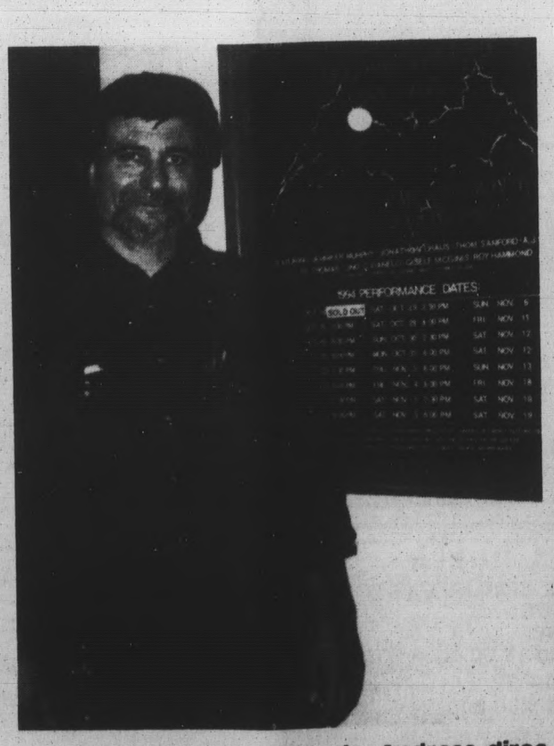


Cassie Harpel and Susan Sposato

Dracula



OPENING FEVER FOR "DRACULA" -- Many area people enjoyed the champagne opening of "Dracula" last Thursday at the Sierra Madre Playhouse. Among them were Suzanne Williams, Julie Rosenthal, Betty Archer, and Terry and Mary Roseen.



PLAYHOUSE PRINCIPAL -- Charles Andrese, director of the Sierra Madre Playhouse, with Stan Zalas, is shown here before the marquee advertising "Dracula."

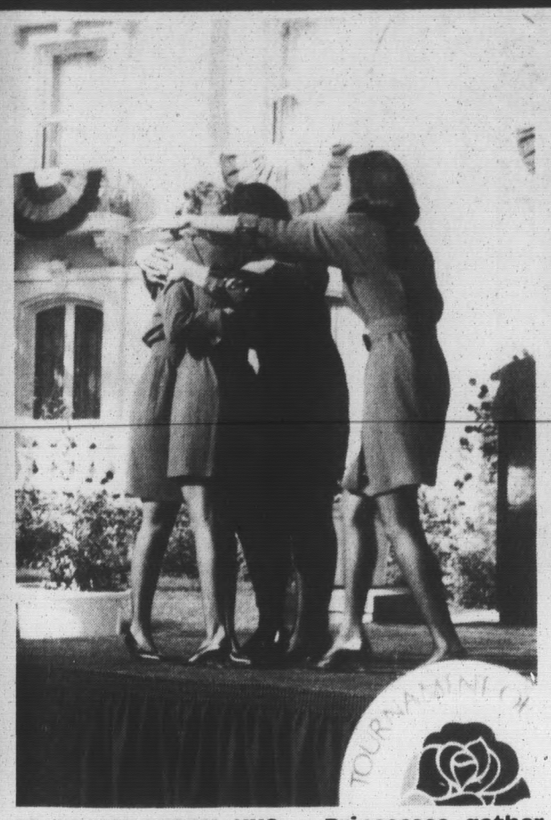
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ATTEND OPENING OF PLAY -- Among those who attended the champagne opening of "Dracula" at the Sierra Madre Playhouse last Thursday are Bill Chilton, Suzanne Williams, Verna Chilton, and Ruth and Russ King.



HAQUE FAMILY AWAITS ANNOUNCEMENT -- Irshad and Linda Haque (fourth from left) wait with his sisters for the announcment of the Queen of the Tournament of Roses. Also shown are Khalida Samad, Iram Iqbal and Aabida Haque. The Queen, it turned out, was the Haques' daughter and niece, Aliya Haque, 17.



CONGRATULATORY HUG -- Princesses gather around Queen Aliya in a huddle/hug in congratulations immediately after the announcement of Queen, Tuesday morning.



KISS OF CONGRATULATIONS -- Irshad Ul-Haque kisses his wife, Linda, to congratulate her on their daughter's elevation to Queen of the Tournament of Roses.

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FATHER WEEPS WITH JOY -- Irshad Ul-Haque (left center) is comforted by his sister, Khalida Samad, while Linda Haque snaps a photo and Iram Iqbal, another Haque sister, shouts with happiness.



QUEEN REIGNS -- This photo is taken moments before Aliya Haque is announced Queen of the Tounament of Roses.



PRESIDENT WITH FATHER -- President Michael E. Ward congratulates Irshad Ul-Haque, father of the new Tournament of Roses Queen, Aliya.



MEDIA CLUSTER AROUND FAMILY -- All types of media surround Linda Haque and her sister-in-law, Lalida Samad, after the announcement.



TOURNAMENT PRINCIPAL -- Don Murphy, Sierra Madre architect and active Tournament volunteer, was one of the escorts of Rose Princesses Tuesday. He is shown here with his wife.



QUEEN SHOWS REASON FOR HER BEING CHOSEN -- Queen Aliya Haque showed her graciousness Tuesday morning when she answered many difficult questions following the announcement of her "win."

Former Sierra Madrean presents college T-shirt, diploma to Donny Osmond



Former Sierra Madrean Chrystine Dimitry of Phoenix presents Donny Osmond with Sierra Madre City College Ph.D. and Sierra Madre College T-shirt following her recent trek to Chicago, where she saw the famous performer in "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat."

Chrystine Dimitry of Phoenix, formerly of Sierra Madre, presented a Sierra Madre City College T-shirt and honorary Ph.D. to Donny Osmond recently. We prefer Chrystine describe the encounter in her own words. Ed.

I have just returned from Chicago, where I saw the most wonderful play: "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat," starring Donny Osmond. During the intermission, I was fortunate enough to be invited backstage where I presented Mr. Osmond with an official Sierra Madre City College T-shirt and an honorary Ph.D. in geology and seismology from that esteemed institution. He was obviously very pleased, as throughout the interview he kept picking up his diploma and staring at it, smiling and saying repeatedly, "This is really cool!" As used as he is to honors and acclaim, he was obviously not expecting anything like this. Needless to say, it was a wonderful feeling for me, too. He was very gracious and kind, despite feeling a bit under the weather with a head cold.

The subject of this degree, Geology and Seismology, has special significance in relation to Donny Osmond; I will leave it with you as to whether you will print it immediately or withhold it suspenseful for a week. Actually, I didn't even tell *Donny* its significance; I told him that if, after considering it for awhile, he couldn't figure it out to let me know and I'd tell him (he has both my home address and the address of Sierra Madre City College, c/o Billy Sullivan at 83 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.). He's pretty smart; I imagine he'll get it. If not, I also promised him a copy of the paper if, indeed, you print any of this, so I guess the cat would be out of the bag one way or the other.

If you would like to run this story as a theater review, I can honestly say that this is the best play I have ever seen, even better than the London West End productions of *Cats*, *Starlight Express*, *Singing in the Rain*, and *Barnum* (which starred Michael Crawford); it is even better than *Phantom of the Opera* which I have also just seen. The acting, singing, choreography and sets all combine to almost overwhelm the senses with their excellence. This is the type of play that can be seen again and again (and I have, this being my third trip to Chicago to see it)...it never gets stale. There is always something new to be discovered, nuances that were missed in the previous viewings. It is by turns hilarious, historically accurate (well, sort of), and, especially in the imprisonment scene, very moving. It is *always* flawlessly executed and staged.

This production, which started in Vancouver, B.C., in the summer of 1992, is running through the end of the year at the historic Chicago Theater, located at 175 N. State Street in Chicago and has become the longest running play in the history of that city. From there it moves to Minneapolis for several months, before continuing on to Toronto and Hawaii. Anyone planning a trip to any of these cities should make every effort to see it. The current production is expected to run for a total of another two and one half years, according to Mr. Osmond.

Oh, yeah--I promised to give the reasoning behind the subject of the diploma. Without further adieu, here goes:

Geology is the study of what? Basically, *rocks!* Right?

And what is seismology? The study of earthquakes and stuff, right?

And what do earthquakes do? They make the earth...*roll*. Are you with me so far?

Well, as everyone knows, Donny is a little bit...*ROCK AND ROLL*...

Hence the subject of the diploma.

Pretty corny. But hey! Corny is part of what makes SMCC so great!

Chrys Dimitry

Roentgen discovered X-ray

X-rays were discovered in 1901 by German physicist Wilhelm Konrad Roentgen.

Arcadia Happenings

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Red Ribbon Week, Oct. 23-31

Red Ribbon Week, a national celebration to present a visible commitment to the creation of a drug-free America, is Oct. 23-31. "Healthy Means Drug Free" is the theme of the sixth Red Ribbon celebration.

Students in schools throughout the state and country will wear red ribbons to show their support for a drug-free America, and they will participate in campus events to encourage healthy lifestyles.



RED RIBBON CAMPAIGN -- Ready to distribute red ribbons in support of the drug-free campaign are, front, Jake Fulton, Becky Coulter and Holly Fulton; and back, Delia Fulton and Cathy Copeland.

At Highland Oaks Elementary School, Shirley Coulter, Delia Fulton and Karen Cline will decorate the campus with red ribbons. Red wristbands donated by Kathy Copeland and Gary Dorn of Dorn Realty in Arcadia will be distributed to all students.

Jan Leonard is Red Ribbon chairman at Baldwin Stocker, where there will be an all-school program on Thursday, Oct. 27. Students in grades three through five will be involved in a poster contest, while K-2 students will be competing in a coloring contest.

California State PTA is a co-sponsor of the statewide Red Ribbon Week along with the California State Department of Alcohol & Drug Programs and the State Attorney General's Crime Prevention Center.

The Red Ribbon celebration originated when federal agent Enrique Camarena was murdered by drug traffickers in 1985. The Red Ribbon became the symbol to reduce the demand for drugs.



BALDWIN SOCIETY -- Members of the new Baldwin Society, formed to support the Arboretum in Arcadia, are Dottie Davis, Sherry Fuelling and Jan Janhnke.

Altrusa schedules 'Ritzy' affair

Altrusa International, Inc. of Arcadia will hold its 10th annual fashion show luncheon, "Putting on the Ritz," on Saturday, Oct. 29, at the Ritz Carlton Huntington Hotel in Pasadena. A social hour will begin at 11 a.m., with the luncheon set for noon.

Nadine Rondinella will serve as commentator for fashions from Glendale Galleria.

Ruth Gilb and Sharon Venema are co-chairmen of the annual benefit. Serving on the committee are Marie Schmitt, raffle; Venema and Margo Crumley, reservations; Monty Lindsey, door prizes; Beau Stocking, membership; Gilb, program; and Jo Ann Soderblom, treasurer.

Proceeds from the event will benefit Catalina House and other charities supported by the local Altrusa Club.

Tickets are $40 per person. For more information, call 355-4295.

Arcadia Scene

by JoAnn Scott

Baby Boy Cory was born at 4:59 a.m. (New York time) on Tuesday, Oct. 18. He's my first grandchild, and you grandparents out there will understand how thrilled I am. My wakeup call confirmed that mother and baby, who weighed in at 7 pounds, 4 ounces, are doing fine; however, Baby Cory still had not been named as of press time.

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The Skidaddle group left skiis behind and opted for a recent fall color trip to Vermont, where they stayed at Alexis Porter's "get-away" home in Rupert.

Joining the group were Adele Skibba, Jane Wall, Moira Podliska, Eleanor Powell, Sue Paxson, Pat Janes and Gail Jensen. Alexis' son, Chris, who is a chef at Mistral's in Manchester, Vermont, spent his day off preparing a gourmet meal which was waiting for the girls when they arrived. What service!

The group had fun sightseeing, eating and shopping. They took in tag sales and a nearby outlet mall. They also saw Judy and Dan Querry, former Arcadians who now live in the Green Mountain State. Dartmouth, where Eleanor's daughter, Karen, went to college, was also on the sightseeing agenda.

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A special support group for the Arboretum, called the Baldwin Society, met for a tour and tea last week. Sandy Snider, associate curator of history, led a tour of the century old Queen Anne Cottage, which is seldom open to the public. Constructed in 1885-86, the cottage was built by Elias Jackson "Lucky" Baldwin, probably as a honeymoon gift for his fourth wife, 16-year-old Lillie Bennett.

Baldwin Society members learned more about this and other absorbing items concerning the fascinating lifestyle of "Lucky" Baldwin during the tour and later during tea, which was served on the cottage lawn under shady trees.

Among those enjoying the event were members of the Baldwin Society, all Arcadia residents, Dottie Davis, Sherry Fuelling, Jan Jahnke, Marilyn Kern, Carol McGuire, Martha Russell, Barbara Sanladerer, Betty Wall and Bingo Roncelli.

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Three members of the Arcadia Unified School District family went to Japan this summer. Lucy Berger, a counselor at Arcadia High School, enjoyed a cultural 18-day trip with the "U.S. Educators to Japan" program sponsored by the Japan Business Association.

Madeline Antilla and Sharon Litsey, who are team teaching this year at Arcadia High School, toured throughout Japan with other teachers for two weeks, and they developed lessons for Los Angeles County teachers. Madeline and Sharon focused on feudal Japan for a seventh grade curriculum and modernization in Japan for ninth graders.

Both teachers have gone on numerous foreign trips for educators, but Madeline said this one was particularly "great" because they were free to explore and pursue their own projects.

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This summer, Jane Goldstein, a Sierra Madre resident who is director of communications at Santa Anita Park, was in Budapest having lunch at a famous old restaurant, which in the past year or so was restored and brought back to its historic place among the world's finer dining places. She reports that Gundel, founded in 1894, lived up to its billing and that the food was excellent and the service superb.

Several servers spoke English, but she noticed one man spoke particularly well and with what she perceived as an American accent. She soon found out that he learned English in the United States and had actually gone to Arcadia High School. Small world!

Steven Nagy attended AHS in the mid-1970s and had worked at a number of area restaurants, including Marianne, predecessor of Bistro 45, in Pasadena. He was born in Hungary and returned there a few years ago.

Jane said, "He couldn't have been nicer (nor more professional) and made sure we toured the different rooms and garden of Gundel, even while he dashed back and forth to make sure his remaining tables were served properly."

Steven said that he's planning on coming back to visit Arcadia, perhaps this winter.

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Lauragene and Don Swenson and their daughter, Karen, enjoyed a recent trip which found them driving 1600 miles through New England. It was just the beginning of the fall color season; however, the crimson and gold lacked luster when they saw USC lose to Penn State.

Wine tasting, sales

A wine tasting and sale event sponsored by the Auxiliary of Methodist Hospital will be held on Sunday, Oct. 30, 4-7:30 p.m., at the Arcadia Community Center.

Preview sampling of international and domestic wines will begin with white wines at 4:15 p.m., red wines at 5:30 p.m. and specialty wines at 6:45 p.m.

Wine orders and personalized labels will be received in time for holiday giving.

Twenty-five percent of the sales will benefit the Methodist Hospital Replacement Patient Tower.

Wines will be presented by Vintage International and food will be by the Bashful Butler.

For tickets at $25 per person or $45 per couple, call 821-2357.

Halloween Herbs

Bill Trujillo will give a program on Halloween Herbs when the Southern California Unit of the National Herb Society meets at the Arboretum in Arcadia on Saturday, Oct. 22, 10 a.m.

For reservations to this program, which is open to the public, call Myrtle Kapitan at 288-2899.

California PTA positions

Where the California State PTA stands on current issues and legislation will be explained at the Holly Avenue Elementary School PTA meeting on Wednesday, Oct. 26, 7 p.m.

For more information, contact Sandy Rider at 447-2949.

ITC to celebrate 40

The Arcadia Club of International Training in Communication, formerly the International Toastmistress Club, will celebrate its 40th anniversary on Tuesday, Oct. 25.

Officers of the Arcadia Communicators for the 1994-95 term include Eunice Edwards of Upland, president; June Kawaharada of Monterey Park, vice president; Roberta Orthof of La Verne, secretary; Helen Kania of Azusa, treasurer; and Bernice Iddings of Arcadia, delegate of Council 6, Golden West Region.

For more information about the anniversary event, including location, call Joyce Gray at 447-0378.

ITC membership is open to all adults who are interested in self-improvement through training in communication and leadership skills. Muriel Bryant, executive director, is a former international president as well as a charter member of the Arcadia Club.

Armchair safari

Arcadia Senior Citizen Services will offer an armchair tour of the natural habitats of the great primates on Friday, Oct. 21, 10 a.m., at the Arcadia Community Center.

Following the slide presentation, there will be an opportunity for touching and viewing of animal artifacts.

Participants in this program must be a minimum of 50 years of age.

Make reservations by calling 574-5130.

Octoberfest for food, fun

Octoberfest at Arcadia Presbyterian Church on Saturday, Oct. 29, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. will include food, music, homemade jams and jellies, a boutique, custom-made as well as costume jewelry, plants and Christmas cards.

These things and more will be offered in Fellowship Hall.

For further information, call the church office at 445-7470.

UPCOMING HAPPENINGS

Lutheran musical program

The community is invited to attend a musical entitled "Love Will Be Our Hope" at Our Savior Lutheran Church on Sunday, Oct. 23, and Sunday, Nov. 13. Each performance will begin at 6:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall at the church, 512 W. Duarte Rd. in Arcadia.

The musical will take the audience through a family's joys, challenges, struggles and heartaches as a celebration is being planned for the couple's 40th wedding anniversary.

There is no admission fee; however, a free-will offering will be taken. Child care will be available. Call 447-7690 for more information.

Coronary artery disease

Allan Edmiston, MD, will present a program entitled "Is Coronary Artery Disease Reversible?" at Methodist Hospital's Happy Hearts program on Wednesday, Oct. 26, 7:30 p.m., in the auditorium on the hospital campus.

Make reservations by calling 574-3422.

Day of the Dead observation at Arboretum

"Marigolds and Day of the Dead," a 50-minute slide journey from ancient Mexico to today's celebration of the Day of the Dead observed each Nov. 1, will be offered by the California Arboretum Foundation on Sunday, Oct. 30, 2-4 p.m. at the Arboretum in Arcadia.

Jim Bauml, Ph.D., senior botanist at the Arboretum, will feature the origins, uses and symbolism of the marigold, and music as well as refreshments from the traditions of Mexico will be offered.

Admission is $15 for CAF members; $3 for children under 18; $20 for non-members and $5 for their children.

Call the CAF office at 447-8207 for reservations.

Fire program at library

In recognition of October as Fire Prevention Month, the Children's Room of the Arcadia Public Library will present the Arcadia Fire Department in a special fire safety program on Tuesday, Oct. 25, 4-5 p.m.

The program is free for all ages and will feature activities, a video and handouts. No registration is required, and children under 10 years of age must be accompanied by an adult.

Call 446-7112 for more information.

Halloween flowers

A class in Halloween floral arranging will be offered to individuals 50-years of age and older at the Arcadia Community Center on Friday, Oct. 28, 9-11 a.m.

Participants will create a Halloween fantasy with Kathy Mejia. They are asked to take a paring knife, scissors, wire cutters and a small pumpkin.

Cost of the workshop is $4 per person.

Register for the class at the Community Center, 365 Campus Dr. Call 574-5130 for more information.

'All About the Author'

Stories and activities based on books by children's author Eve Bunting will be offered in the Children's Room of the Arcadia Public Library on Friday, Oct. 21, 4-5 p.m.

Admission is free. Call 446-7112 for more information.

About HMOs, Oct. 27

Larry Banks, a Long Term Care insurance specialist, will discuss HMOs and how they differ from Medicare supplements on Thursday, Oct. 27, 10 a.m. in the auditorium at Arcadia Methodist Hospital. He will explain how to compare HMOs and questions to ask before signing with an HMO.

Call 574-3733 for reservations.

Halloween at the Arboretum

Children 3-7 years are invited to celebrate Halloween at the Arboretum on Saturday, Oct. 29, 10:30 a.m. Children may wear costumes and parade with the peacocks to a special pumpkin patch. They will pick their own pumpkin to decorate and take home.

For reservations at $6 for children of California Arboretum Foundation members and $7.50 for non-member children, call 447-8207.

AMH support groups

"Starting Over," a support group for those people who have experienced the loss of a loved one, will meet at Arcadia Methodist Hospital on Sunday, Oct. 23, 2-4 p.m.

On Tuesday, Oct. 25, 2:30-4 p.m., "Friends in Need," a support group for friends and family affected by cancer, will meet at the hospital.

Make reservations and obtain more information by calling 574-3475.

Newcomers to walk

A walking tour of historical Claremont is planned for the Newcomers Club on Wednesday, Oct. 26. Participants will meet at 9 a.m. by the movie marquee at Santa Anita Fashion Park.

San Gabriel Valley Newcomers invite anyone who has moved to the area in the last few years to join in this activity.

Call Sally Engle at 355-9831 for more information.

Towner on education

Dr. Terry Towner, superintendent of the Arcadia Unified School District and member of the Church of the Good Shepherd, will present a program on public education as part of the Good Shepherd Forum on Sunday, Oct. 23, 9 a.m., in Jordan Hall on the church campus.

For further information, call 447-2181.

Fall Faire for networking

Santa Anita Church's Fall Faire on Sunday, Oct. 23, will offer a networking opportunity. The day will kick off at 10 a.m. with a "Celebration" service featuring the Gloryland Gospel Band and Gil Orr on guitar. Reverend Russ Williams will begin a five-part series entitled "Your Creative Freedom in Spirit," and the service will include the nationally acclaimed talents of tenor Nmon Ford Livens and organist Allen Mills.

Fall Faire, from 11:15 a.m. to 2 p.m., will give individuals an opportunity to identify their specialty as the church will create a directory of professionals, showcasing their skills, talents, services and special interests.

Hamburgers, hot dogs, soft drinks and brownies will be served and children can play on a "bounce house." The church is located at 226 W. Colorado Blvd. in Arcadia. Phone 446-8206 for more information.

Grasses and Ferns

John Greenlee, owner of Greenlee Nursery, will give a program on Grasses and Ferns when the Los Angeles International Fern Society meets on Friday, Oct. 21, 7:30 p.m. in the lecture hall at The Arboretum of Los Angeles County in Arcadia.

Admission is free; guests are invited. For more information, call 441-3148.

Seen at AHS

by Vincent Chiou

Arcadia High School, 1994-95 edition, is running on all cylinders as a four-year high school for the first time in over 30 years.

The first question anyone would ask an AHS student is, "What's it like with over 3000 students?" As a senior and third-year veteran of the school, I have been overwhelmed.

In the halls, all you see is people. People everywhere. The only thing I can possibly compare the mayhem to is perhaps being at Disneyland during summer vacation.

I'm lucky that I'm a senior and don't have to live through the lunch experience every day. The lines are just horrendous. Lunch is about 45 minutes long, but even if you were to rush out to the lunch area right when the period began, a 15-20 minute line, average, for any of the lunch venues, awaits

But overlooking the obvious overcrowdedness, the ninth graders and the upperclassmen seem to be getting along just fine. I've seen senior help freshmen in the halls with such things as finding classes and picking up dropped school supplies.

The new "J" building everyone is talking about is wonderful. Although the rooms were missing door handles at first, and they still don't have TVs in them like all the other classrooms, at least they're clean and thus create a very positive learning environment.

The advisors for the school newspaper, the *Pow Wow*, the school TV news show, *Apache News*, and the yearbook are trying to begin a Booster Club for the communications group at AHS similar to the Athletic and Music Booster Clubs already in place. Please call Michael Herman at (818) 446-0131, ext. 6343 if you have any ideas or suggestions. Right now at AHS, we are on the onramp to the Information Superhighway, driving a 1947 Studebaker, and desperately need some help.

So far this year is looking to be wonderful, and I sincerely hope it continues that way. Both the administration and student government are promising great things.

Vincent Chiou is editor of The Apache Pow Wow, *the Arcadia High School newspaper, and he helps us out at* The News. *He will write an occasional column about happenings at the high school. Ed.*



HOMEOWNERS INTRODUCED -- Loretta Monroe, Mae Casner, Marion Young and Peggy Merlo, whose homes will be featured on the Holiday Homes Tour on Dec. 9, were introduced at a tour kick-off coffee.

Sierra Madre News Photo

Tour homeowners announced

The four women whose homes will be featured on the annual Holiday Homes Tour sponsored by the Auxiliary of Methodist Hospital were introduced at a tour kick-off coffee on Tuesday at Bethany Church in Sierra Madre.

Homeowners are Mae Casner, Peggy Merlo, Loretta Monroe and Marion Yeung.

Marta Simon is the decorator selected to prepare the Casner home for the holidays, and she will be assisted by Victoria Moritz. Pam Shaw is the decorator for the Merlo home, while Margit Holakoui has been chosen as the decorator for the Monroe home and the Yeung's decorators are Roger and Scarlett Lowe.

Barbara Hickman, Auxiliary president, introduced the committee for "Christmas Collections of Forty Years," which will be presented on Friday, Dec. 9. The steering committee includes Mickey Harbur, Romilda Lovrensky, Carmen Thibault and Gian Wardell.

Those attending the coffee event had a sneak preview of items which will be offered in Christmas House at the Arboretum on tour day.

Board recap

Vote opposes Prop. 187; student expulsion challenged

A resolution opposing passage of Proposition 187, which would eliminate services to California's illegal immigrants, was unanimously passed by the Arcadia Unified School District Governing Board at last week's meeting.

The resolution notes that "passage of Proposition 187 would have a negative fiscal impact on the Arcadia schools and on the quality of life in the community in terms of the basic safety and health of Arcadia's residents."

It was noted that passage of this legislation would result in the loss of $2.3 billion in federal funds to public school districts, plus it would cost $100 million in the first year for verification and reporting of illegal alien students.

Prior to the regular meeting, the board met in special session when an attorney representing an expelled Arcadia High School student challenged the decision regarding his client's expulsion. Later, following closed session, the board voted to expel and suspend the expulsion with the condition that any behavior problems would cause the expulsion to become effective immediately. The decision is for both AHS students who were involved in a physical confrontation.

Also at the special meeting, Sgt. Randy Kirby of the Arcadia Police Department joined Christopher Kuk of the Los Angeles County Probation Department and Officer Roger Johnson of the Monrovia PD in a discussion about juvenile crime and gang activity.

During the regular meeting, the board approved a pilot program at Camino Grove Elementary School to participate in the California Learning Record System of Assessment.

Consent items approved included an agreement with the Los Angeles County Office of Education Bilingual Teacher Training for a program designed to bridge the gap for the vast shortage of bilingual and ESL teachers in the state of California.

The next regular meeting of the Governing Board will be Tuesday, Oct. 25, 7:30 p.m.

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PIGSKIN '94

Six score in Arcadia win

Scoring duties were shared by six players as the Arcadia High School football team improved its record to 6-0 with a 34-0 victory over Glendale at Moyse Field on the Glendale campus Friday night in the Pacific League opener for both teams. It was Arcadia's second consecutive shutout and the third of the season.

Jon Shepherd scored the first touchdown on a four-yard run in the first quarter after Arcadia got the ball on Glendale's 16-yard line following a partially blocked punt. Then Ryan Baderian, who had three PATs for the night, kicked a 25-yard field goal in the first quarter and a 27-yarder in the final period.

Brian Teets scored on a 59-yard run in the second quarter, and when the Nitros fumbled the ensuing kickoff, with Frank Liu covering on Glendale's 20-yard line, it looked like the Apaches would score again. However, Shepherd's trip to the endzone was called back for an illegal block, and Arcadia was stalled on a fourth-down play, when quarterback Jason Wagner tripped.

After a 17-0 lead at halftime, Jamall Jackson came out in the second half and ran back the kickoff for a 77-yard score. It was Wagner's turn next, as he scored on a five-yard run, and this time it was Autumn Lodwick, who kicked the PAT.

Shepherd carried the ball 21 times for 88 yards, his first sub-100 yard game so far this season; however, he did not have much playing time in the fourth quarter. Teets had 68 yards on two carries, while Wagner completed two of four attempts for 31 yards and one interception.

Coach Doug Smith said he was "a little leery" about Glendale. Even though the team is winless this season, "I've watched Glendale improve week by week." Smith credited his team's physical size for being "too much for them." The coach praised the Arcadia defense, "They've been performing great all season."

Defensive standouts were Brad Bedell, who had three sacks; Jackson, four unassisted tackles; and Cam Lewark, two unassisted tackles and five assisted tackles.

Regarding the league opening win, Smith said, "It's nice to get started in league that way. Now the tough ones begin. Muir will be the toughest team, by far, we've faced so far this season." The Apaches host the Muir Mustangs on Friday, Oct. 21, for a 7:30 p.m. game. Muir, who beat Arcadia (12-11) on a 46-yard field goal in the last seconds of the game last year, handed Crescenta Valley its first loss of the season in the league opener last week. Muir, 4-2 for the season, won 17-7.

St. Rita wins three more

St. Rita's varsity football team improved its overall record to 7-3 and its league record to 4-1 with three victories last week. In league, the Raiders defeated Assumption of Pasadena and Immaculate Conception of Monrovia to stay one game behind St. Dorothy of Glendora in the hunt for the league championship.

In nonleague action, St. Rita traveled to St. Luke of Temple City, where the Raiders came away with a 14-8 victory.

Even without starting quarterback Jake Benitez, St. Rita was able to move the ball in a 40-6 victory over Assumption, as Denis O'Brien and Adam Duffy served as backup quarterbacks. O'Brien scored three touchdowns, one on a 60-yard punt return, and optioned to Joey Stanislawski, who scored with the help of a Matt Cowell block.

Duffy threw for two touchdowns, one each to John Harabedian and Matt Visconti, and Gavin Blackstock hauled in an O'Brien pass for the only conversion of the game. Mario Foresta added to the point total with a sack on the Assumption quarterback for a safety.

Against Immaculate Conception, the Raiders cruised to a 32-16 victory as Duffy intercepted a pass on the first play of the game and carried it in for the score, and Benitez threw to Blackstock for the conversion. Blackstock and O'Brien each scored and O'Brien scored two conversions to give the Raiders a 24-0 halftime lead. St. Rita didn't score again until the final period, when Duffy ran back a kickoff for a TD, and Benitez spun into the endzone with a pass from O'Brien for the conversion.

In the St. Luke game, the Raiders jumped out to a 14-0 lead as Benitez and O'Brien traded passes to each other for two touchdowns, and O'Brien ran a keeper for the conversion. St. Rita was not able to score again, but the defense held St. Luke to one touchdown.

The Raider B team notched a 24-0 shutout over San Gabriel Mission as John Maloney hauled in two Matt Kelley passes for touchdowns, and Zack Carsia scored two more. First year coach Sean Grycel praised the collective effort of his defense in smothering Mission's offensive effort.

AYSO Action

Results of Arcadia/-Sierra Madre AYSO Region 2 soccer games played last week include the following:

The Cheetahs defeated Slammers 5-0 on three goals by Heather Ducich and one goal each from Alison Gomez and Domnique Bitonti in Girls' Division 5 action. In other games, Road Runners beat Beach Clammers, 3-1, on goals from Adrienne Stonners, Lindsay Milich and Holly Hanson as Chelsea Johnson scored for Slammers; Meghan Browning scored as Firing Flames defeated Wild Things, 1-0; Strikers got past Great Balls of Fire, 3-0, on two goals from Jackie Hirley and one by Jacqueline Stein; and No Fear shut out Blue Jays, 6-0, on goals by Claire Bird (2), Eugenia Saniovanni (2), Julie Parker and Melissa Rische.

In other acton, Traci Kelly and Jan Melan each scored two goals while Brittany Klein and Amy Flannery scored once in a 6-0 victory for Cool Shots over Hericanes; Silver Strikers defeated Firecrackers, 5-0, on two goals from Heather Furya and Erin Gillespie and another from Amy Gregg; Alison Haraguchi, Susie Mischenko, Katie Mischenko and Becky Mischenko each scored for Wild Things in a 4-1 victory over No Fear, which got a goal from Julie Parker.

Danielle Freeman and Sona Bhatie scored for Cool Runnings as Cindy Wilson and Mia Faison got goals for Poison as the two teams tied 2-2 in Girls' Division 4 action.

In other games, Panache got goals from Lindsay Park, Vanessa Dahbour and Jessica Copher in a 3-1 victory over Firebirds, which got a goal by Alexis Clinton; Courtney Hodge and Kelly Hayaski each scored for her team as Crunch and Sharks tied 1-1; Kaitlin Fitzgibbons had a hat trick and Heather Shur added another goal to lead Neon Geckos in a 4-0 victory over Golden Strikers; and Nikki Michaels scored four goals while Leighann Cortner got one goal as No Fear (Randal) defeated Strike Force 5-2, with Nichelle Nicol and Kristin Gomez scoring for the Force.

Kim Grabowski scored for Dinos, a 1-0 winner over No Fear (Given); Laura Branch and Paula Wizel each scored as Shootin' Stars defeated Outlaws, 2-1, with Lindsay MacDonald scoring in the loss; Kimberly Lloyd got a hat trick and Jenna Warden scored two goals as Dinos blanked Nightmare, 5-0; Melissa Salazar scored two goals and Courtney Hickman got another for Golden Strikers, who played to a 3-3 tie with Shootin' Stars, which got goals from Heather Flannery, Laura Branch and Paula Wizel; Erin Coscarelli scored twice and Nikki Michaels once to lead No Fear (Randal) to a 3-0 victory over Neon Geckos; and Kelly Hayashi and Stephanie Franco each scored for the Sharks, winners of a 2-1 decision over No Fear (Given), which got a goal from Jennifer Phipps.

Gatros and Green Flash played to a 1-1 in Girls'

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Arcadia High School

1994 Varsity Football Schedule/Results

Thursday, Sept. 8	Arcadia defeats Saddleback	21-7
Friday, Sept. 16	Arcadia defeats San Marino	20-0
Friday, Sept. 23	Arcadia defeats Temple City	35-14
Friday, Sept. 30	Arcadia defeats Blair	42-6
Friday, Oct. 7	Arcadia defeats So. Pasadena	38-0
Friday, Oct. 14	Arcadia defeats Glendale	34-0
Friday, Oct. 21	Muir at Arcadia	7:30
Friday, Oct. 28	Hoover at Arcadia	7:30
Friday, Nov. 4	Pasadena at PCC	7:30
Friday, Nov. 11	Crescenta Valley at Arcadia	7:30

Somsouk, Chung win crucial in Arcadia tennis victory

Arcadia High School's girls' tennis team extended its winning streak to 12 as the Lady Apaches claimed two more Pacific League matches last week. Arcadia defeated Crescenta Valley, 12 2/3 to 8 1/3, in the toughest match so far, according to coach Jerry Dohling.

Lina Somsouk and Florence Chung, the third doubles team, swept all three of their sets, which was crucial to the win, said Dohling.

On Friday, Arcadia went 6-0 in league action with a 19 2/3 to 1 1/3 victory over Pasadena.

Arcadia faced Hoover on Wednesday and will be on the road for a match with Muir on Friday, Oct. 21.

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Pasadena High School

1994 Varsity Football Schedule/Results

Friday, Sept. 9	Pasadena defeats Blair	51-6
Friday, Sept. 16	Pasadena defeats Beverly Hills	49-28
Friday, Sept. 23	Alhambra defeats Pasadena	21-19
Friday, Sept. 30	Nogales defeats Pasadena	39-29
Friday, Oct. 7	Pasadena defeats St. Francis	27-12
Thursday, Oct. 13	Pasadena defeats Hoover	42-3
Friday, Oct. 21	Glendale at PCC	7:30
Thursday, Oct. 27	Crescenta Valley at CV	7:30
Friday, Nov. 4	Arcadia at PCC	7:30
Saturday, Nov. 12	Muir at Rose Bowl	T.B.A

Maranatha High School

1994 Varsity Football Schedule/Results

Saturday, Sept. 10	Maranatha defeats La Salle	16-14
Saturday, Sept. 17	Maranatha defeats Francis Parker	31-6
Saturday, Sept. 24	Life Christian at San Marino	Cancelled
Friday, Sept. 30	Ontario Christian defeats Maranatha	28-7
Friday, Oct. 7	Maranatha defeats Calvary	42-0
Saturday, Oct. 15	Marshall defeats Maranatha	20-7
Saturday, Oct. 22	L.A. Baptist at San Marino	7:30
Saturday, Oct. 29	Kilpatrick at San Marino	7:30
Saturday, Nov. 5	Village Christian at Kennedy	7:30
Saturday, Nov. 12	Western Christian at San Marino	7:30

La Salle High School

1994 Varsity Football Schedule/Results

Saturday, Sept. 10	Maranatha defeats La Salle	16-14
Friday, Sept. 16	La Salle defeats Marshall	28-26
Friday, Sept. 23	Valley Christian defeats La Salle	35-14
Saturday, Oct. 1	Bell-Jeff defeats La Salle	28-7
Friday, Oct. 7	La Salle defeats Pius X	16-13
Saturday, Oct. 15	Mary Star defeats La Salle	34-14
Friday, Oct. 21	Murphy at St. Bernard	7:30
Saturday, Oct. 29	St. Genevieve at Birmingham	7:30
Saturday, Nov. 5	Salesian at Roosevelt	7:30
Friday, Nov. 11	Cathedral at Monrovia	7:30

Lancers stopped

La Salle High School's Ryan Garcia threw for two touchdowns and a two-point conversion; however, the Lancers lost a 34-14 decision to Mary Star in a Santa Fe League contest on Saturday.

La Salle went into the locker room down 6-14, after Rafael Lazcano scored on a 44-yard screen pass play from Garcia. The two-point conversion failed.

After connecting with Esquival for a 15-yard scored in the final period, Garcia threw to Esquival for the two-point conversion.

Garcia completed 7 of 14 attempts for 145 yards, with Esquival hauling in three tosses for 55 yards while Lozcano caught four passes for 90 yards. Lazcano was also La Salle's leading rusher with 63 yards on 15 carries.

Coach Lew Stueck said that the Lancers fell behind, 14-0 "real early" and again in the third quarter, when Mary Star dominated the game. However, the coach said that he was encouraged to see his team put together a soaring drive late in the game.

The Lancers, with a 1-2 league record, will take on Murphy, Friday, Oct. 21, 7:30 p.m., at St. Bernard in Westchester. Murphy is 3-0 in league after a 26-12 victory over Cathedral last weekend.

Maranatha loses

Maranatha High School's running back, who has averaged over 100 yards per game, was held to 29 yards on 17 carries as the Minutemen lost the Alpha League opener to Marshall Fundamental, 7-20, on Saturday. The win broke Marshall's 14-game losing streak.

Taylor scored Maranatha's only touchdown on a five-yard run in the third quarter. Matt Evans kicked the extra point.

Philip Jesperson carried the ball nine times for 35 yards, while quarterback Nathan Covey completed three of 10 attempts for 50 yards. Taylor caught two of those passes for 33 yards.

The Minutemen, with a 3-2 record, will face L.A. Baptist on Saturday, Oct. 22, 7:30 p.m., at San Marino High School.

Bulldogs get three McAlister touchdowns in league opener

Senior quarterback Chris McAlister scored three touchdowns to lead the Pasadena High School football team to a 42-3 victory over Hoover in the Pacific League opener on Thursday night.

McAlister got his first trip to the endzone in the first play of the second quarter, when he scored on a 56-yard run, and Balurearush Bastaimpillai kicked the first of six PATs. Joey Valenzuela scored from 11 yards out to give the Bulldogs a 14-0 halftime lead.

McAlister came back after the intermission and scored the first of three unanswered third-quarter touchdowns on a 20-yard run. Before McAlister scored on a 68-yard punt return late in the third quarter, Mike Green scored on a 45-yard run.

Hoover's first trip across Pasadena's 40-yard line was aided by a PHS fumble, but Hoover had to settle for a 31-yard field goal. The Bulldogs closed out the scoring with a Symoun Hawthorne touchdown from seven yards out.

Coach Jack Loos said the Bulldogs were sluggish at the start but "picked it up" in the third quarter to score 21 points. "It's always good to win the first league game," added the coach. "As long as we don't drop the hat (ball), we'll be in control of our own destiny."

McAlister completed three of 10 attempts for 51 yards and carried the ball six times for 97 yards, while Green had six carries for 62 yards; Cory Holly, one for 38 yards; Chris Pickett, three for 31; Valenzuela, three for 21; and Koran Allen, six for 27.

On defense, Green had an interception at the end of the game, Pedro Vega had two fumble recoveries and Lester Towns was good for two sacks.

Pasadena (4-2 for the season) will face winless Glendale on Friday, Oct. 21, with a 7:30 p.m. kickoff at Pasadena City College. Glendale is coming off a 0-34 loss to Arcadia.

Arcadia volleyball undefeated in Pacific League action

Arcadia High School's girls' volleyball team remains undefeated in Pacific League action (4-0) with two league wins last week.

Nicolle Becker had 21 kills and two aces to lead Arcadia to a three-game victory, 15-9, 15-2, 15-13, over Crescenta Valley on Tuesday. Other leaders were Laurie Morris, five kills, two aces and two blocks; and Misty Rice, four blocks.

Michelina Rice led with nine kills on Friday, when Arcadia defeated Pasadena, 15-1, 15-3, 15-6. Becker had six kills and three aces in the win.

Arcadia continued league action with Wednesday's game against Hoover and on Friday will host Muir. The varsity match is set for 3:15 p.m., followed by the junior varsity contest at 4:45 p.m. On Saturday, Oct. 22, Arcadia will compete in the Marlborough Tournament, an event the local team won in 1990. However, last year, Arcadia did not get out of pool play.

Basketball league

One of the largest turnouts in league history occurred during registration for the Arcadia Youth Basketball League as the player limit was exceeded during the first week of signups, announced Commissioner Eli Fish.

Only four of the seven teams in the older division have coaches, and Fish is asking that anyone interested in helping out call him at (213) 628-1336.

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council recap

Redevelopment discussed

Acting as the Arcadia Redevelopment Agency, the Arcadia City Council gave the go-ahead signal for redevelopment project plans and approved the Downtown 2000 Program components during a special meeting last Tuesday.

Possible uses for the Northwest Corner sit at Huntington and Second and the southwest Corner site were discussed, with a soccer/roller hockey sports facility or an ice skating arena being considered for the Northwest Corner.

The purchase of two vacant properties adjacent to the railroad tracks west of First Avenue for the potential site of a Light Rail station/transit center was discussed.

It was requested that the agency discontinue consideration of a Price/Costco project on Second Ave. at the 210 freeway, and the agency was asked to continue discussions with Monrovia and the Festival Group for a joint retail development on both sides of Fifth Ave., between the 210 freeway, Huntington and the Santa Anita Wash.

A multi-screen theatre, restaurants and parking on the former Foulger Ford site received preliminary approval.

A $4 million Downtown 2000 Program was approved in concept, 3-1, with Councilman Bob Margett holding out for wider sidewalks and Councilman Barbara Kuhn unable to vote because of a conflict of interest as she and her husband own property in the redevelopment area. The council/agency asked for more detailed reports in most cases, but approved a traditional theme on both First Ave. and Huntington Dr. and asked for costs to change lights.

The commercial facade rehabilitation program, business attraction and incentive program, accessways/southside parking, downtown marketing and directional signage programs were all given approval.

It is anticipated that groundbreaking for the streetscape portion will begin in spring 1995 and that construction will take from 8-12 months, according to Pete Kinnahan, economic development administrator.

Arcadia Police Blotter

Specific incidents to which the Arcadia Police Department responded last week include the following:

Sunday, Oct. 16 - Stolen credit card, juvenile arrest, 400 block S. Baldwin; burglary/auto, 400 block S. Santa Anita; burglary/residential, 600 block S. Second; assault with deadly weapon, 700 block W. Naomi; and grand theft auto, 100 block S. Baldwin.

Saturday, Oct. 15 - Mail theft, first block W. Orange Grove; vandalism, 200 block S. Second; burglary/residential, 1100 block Fallen Leaf; vandalism, 1400 block Oaklawn; burglary, 1700 block Vista del Valle, 100 block La Porte and 900 block Derek; grand theft, 1400 block S. First; burglary, adult arrest, 400 block S. Baldwin; vandalism, 1400 block Oaklawn; fire assist, adult arrest, 100 block W. Huntington; possible suicide, 300 block W. Huntington; and fire assist, 600 block S. Santa Anita.

Friday, Oct. 14 - Burglary/hot prowl, 800 block W. Fairview; grand theft auto, 400 block S. Baldwin and 400 block E. Huntington; burglary, 2400 block S. Second, 700 block N. Santa Anita, 1000 block S. Baldwin and 1100 block E. Camino Real; grand theft, 400 block N. Santa Anita; and vandalism, 1000 block S. Baldwin and 2200 block S. Fifth.

Thursday, Oct. 13 - Burglary/vehicle, 1000 block Whispering Pines; burglary/non-residential, 300 block E. Huntington; recovered vehicle, 800 block Coronado; grand theft, 1400 block S. Baldwin; grand theft auto/recovery, 900 block W. Huntington and 200 block W. Huntington; and fire assist/overdose, 300 block E. Live Oak.

Wednesday, Oct. 12 - Grand theft auto, 1000 block Rodeo; vandalism, 600 block W. Naomi and 1000 block Golden West; grand theft auto/recovery, 100 block E. Foothill; and recovered vehicle, 2300 block S. Second.

Tuesday, Oct. 11 - Fire assist/deceased baby, 100 block Diamond; burglary, 500 block E. Live Oak; burglary/residential, 2500 block S. Sixth; and grand theft auto, 600 block Las Tunas.

Monday, Oct. 10 - Grand theft auto, 400 block S. Baldwin and 600 block W. Lemon; burglary/commercial, 200 block N. First; burglary/hot prowl/residential, 900 block Arcadia; burglary, 300 block E. Foothill; and burglary/vehicle, 1600 block S. Tenth.

Police department defends charges

The Arcadia Police Department is the defendant in several claims and lawsuits, according to a story recently published in the *Los Angeles Times*.

City Attorney Mike Miller said that there has never been anything like this in the past 15 years and that because it is a coincidence that there should be three or four cases pending, the *Times* thinks there is a story.

The attorney also said that the city is going to actively defend the police department, pointing out that the claims are "speculative" and "frivolous."

He said that one former police department employee, who was terminated while on probation, has filed a lawsuit in Superior Court. She is "attempting to defame an entire department with her wild accusations," according to Miller.

Capt. Dave Hinig of the Arcadia PD said that the department has thoroughly looked at each and every issue that these people have brought forth and that it has found that there is no substance to the complaints and that there is no foundation for them to proceed.

The cases involve alleged harassment and discrimination against a 15-year-old boy at Arcadia High School, harassment and driving off customers at an eatery located on West Las Tunas in addition to the discrimination charges filed by two former employees.

"We are very, very proud of the professionalism of the department and the support we have garnered from the community over the years," said Hinig. "We are very conscious of the manner in which our personnel portray themselves and provide service, and we constantly evaluate their conduct and performance so that we can ensure the best possible service to everyone within the community."

Rivas is kill leader in two wins

Kerri Rivas was the kill leader as Maranatha High School's girls' volleyball team captured two victories last week. Rivas had 10 kills and five blocks in a three game victory, 15-112, 15-12, 15-2, over Montclair Prep in a non-league match on Tuesday.

Robin Miller also had five blocks, while Bethany Ishida and Karen Crabb served four and three aces, respectively.

Darlene Avolio, who had been sidelined with a knee injury, was back for the Village Christina match on Thursday, when Maranatha won in four, 15-13, 15-12, 12-15, 15-8. Avolio had 10 kills and three aces, while Rivas led with 14 kills. Ishida served three aces and had six kills, while Miller contributed eight kills.

Maranatha faced Western Christian on Tuesday and will play Marshall today, Oct. 20, at Pasadena High School. The varsity record is 10-1 overall, 2-1 in Alpha League competition; however, the junior varsity squad is undefeated for the season.

Oak Tree sets stakes schedule

Howard B. Keck's Numerous, at $117 million the highest-priced yearling sold in auction in North America in 1992, is expected to make his Oak Tree debut in the $100,000 added Volante Handicap, one of two grass features at Santa Anita Park this weekend.

The Volante, which will have its 25th running at Oak Tree's 25th anniversary meeting, will be decided at 1 1/8 miles on Sunday, Oct. 23.

Saturday's feature is the $75,000-added Henry P. Russell Handicap at 1 1/4 miles on the turf for 3-year-olds and up. First post is 12:30 p.m. each day.

Last weekend's stakes winners included Bertrando, who won the $214,000 Goodwood Handicap with Gary Stevens aboard on Saturday, the same day Saratoga Gambler, ridden by Martin Pedroza, captured the $107,500 Ancient Title Breeders' Cup Handicap.

Two $100,000-plus turf races topped Sunday's card, with Kent Desormeaux winning aboard Aube Indienne at the Las Palmas Handicap, and Eddie Delahoussaye capturing the Col. F.W. Koester Handicap atop Bon Point.

Oak Tree has made trifecta wagering available on all races which have at least eight separate betting interests.

Health Expo, Oct. 21-23

Health Expo '94, a free community service offered to the public by Santa Anita Fashion Park, will feature free flu shots and health screenings on Oct. 21-23. Friday hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., while the fair will be open on Saturday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. and on Sunday from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Special flu shot hours on Friday and Saturday are 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., and on Sunday from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. The Monrovia Health Center will provide free flu shots for persons 60 years of age and older.

Over 15 health-related organizations from the San Gabriel Valley will offer educational exhibits and information about their services.

Health screenings for children will be given by the Arcadia Child Health Council, and scoliosis screening as well as posture analysis will be offered by the Southern Chiropractic Association and Mesa Chiropractic. Blood pressure screenings will be by the Arcadia Chapter of the American Red Cross and the San Gabriel Valley Medical Group, while Methodist Hospital will do cholesterol screening and San Gabriel Valley Medical Center will offer pulmonary screening.

For more information, call 445-MALL.

Foothills teacher found dead

James Peila, who had been an Arcadia teacher for the past 18 years, was found dead in his Pasadena home recently, according to a report from the Los Angeles county coroner.

Peila, who was 62 when he died, has taught at the elementary and junior high levels and was most recently teaching English and home economics at Foothills Middle School.

His last day at school was Sept. 21 as he was off duty because of a disability, according to a spokesman from the Arcadia Unified School District.

Cause of death has not been announced.

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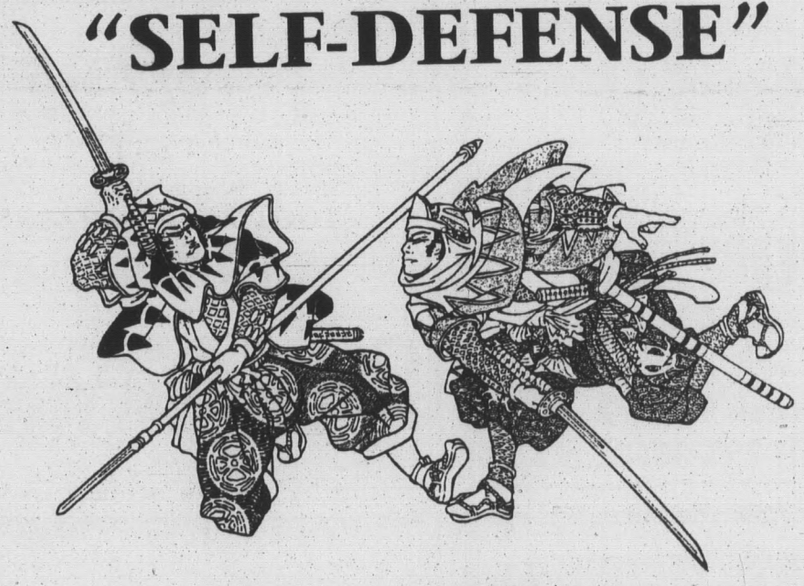
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Division 6 as Lexi Parnass and Ashley Millsaps scored for their respective teams; Blue Jays and Green Flash played to a scoreless tie; Gator Girls and Sharks tied 1-1; MOB defeated Pipes, 8-3; and Stephanie Barrios scored five goals to lead the Falcons to a 5-2 victory over Gator-Babes.

Cole Conrad scored four goals and M. Robertson added another to lead Terminators to a 5-0 victory over Scorpions in Boys' Division 5 action; Zack Safi scored two goals for Wolverines in a 3-0 victory over White Lightning; Chris Davis and Matt Real each scored as Golden Eagles shut out Green Machine 2-0; Jeffrey Salter scored for Lazers, while Bob Gray got a goal for Dragons in a 1-1 tie; and Nathan Booth and Brandon Yaras scored for Watcha-ma-call-its in a 2-1 victory over Raptors, which got a goal from Dean Brown.

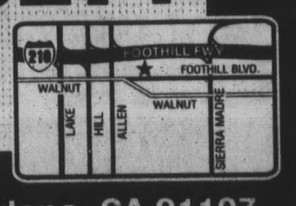
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